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DECIDE AGAINST PROPOSAL MADE BY MR. DOHERTY

Members of League Committee Refuse to Recommend Elimination of Article Ten, as Asked by Canadian Delegate—Effort Made to Meet United States' Objections to Clause

ASSEMBLY HEARS ABOUT QUESTION OF ARMAMENT

Lord Robert Cecil Scores Nations Which Divert Their Energies to War Preparations—Criticises United States' Delay on Mandate Affairs—International Court Gets Attention

GENEVA, Sept. 8.—The council of the League of Nations, the United States' position on mandatory powers and countries that are continuing to arm, came in for trenchant criticism in the first day's debate in the assembly of the League of Nations on the work done by the council of the League.

Hjalmar Branting, of Sweden, accused the council and the secretariat of the League of partiality and extravagance.

Lord Robert Cecil, representing South Africa, defended both the council and the secretariat. Lord Robert Cecil was very severe, however, about the countries, which, he said, according to statistics, are spending about 20 per cent of their energies on armaments, and at the same time complaining of economic instability and bad trade conditions. He blamed the United States for the delay in the adoption of the A and B mandates, and introduced a resolution that their terms be immediately defined.

The committees continued their work this afternoon. The council's commission on amendments finished its labors by deciding not to recommend the adoption of an amendment by Hon. C. J. Doherty, delegate from Canada, eliminating Article 10 from the covenant of the League of Nations.

At the same time it passed an interpretative resolution intended to meet United States' objections to the clause.

ELECTION WORK FAIRLY LAUNCHED

Government and Labor Parties Have Candidates for Four Toronto Seats—Members of Present House Who Retire

TORONTO, Sept. 8.—The Telegram prints the following in its news columns this evening:

"All the Liberal-Conservative members of Parliament in Toronto constituencies will be nominated, again, and will contest their ridings, with the exception of Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, who will retire in North Toronto, in the ward given out at Liberal-Conservative headquarters today.

"Edmund Bristol, K. C., M. P., chairman of central headquarters, has established offices and assumed personal charge of the central division. A meeting of the central division committee will be held within the next two weeks to arrange for nominations and complete organization.

"The man to run in place of Sir George Foster in North Toronto has not been selected. There is a rumor that Sir Henry Drayton might contest this seat, but it lacks confirmation.

"Labor will contest four of the Toronto seats in the coming federal election. At a mass meeting called by the Labor representation committee in the Labor Temple, tonight candidates were nominated as follows:

South Toronto, John W. Bruce.
Centre Toronto, James Simpson.
East Toronto, James Richards.
West Toronto, Mrs. Hector Prenter.

Steps already have been taken by the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance to make prohibition an issue in the approaching federal election. At a meeting of the executive committee held today, a resolution was adopted urging the Dominion executive to make an appeal for the nomination of candidates who will support Dominion-wide prohibition.

ANTAGONISM, N. S., Sept. 8.—J. H. Sinclair, M. P. for Antigonish and Guysboro Counties since 1917, and who had previously represented Guysboro for 23 years, has decided to retire from public life.

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 8.—The latest in Kingston political circles is that Brigadier-General Ross, M. P., is likely to be the Conservative candidate in the Federal elections, and that Sir Henry Drayton may run for one of the Toronto seats. It is reported that Dr. F. J. O'Connor is likely to run as a Liberal-Labor candidate in Kingston.

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—It is mentioned in political quarters here that D. A. Lafontaine, M. P. for Jacques Cartier, will not again be a candidate for election, his health not being of the best. The names of J. A. Ashby, M. L. A. for Jacques Cartier, is given as a Liberal candidate to succeed Mr. Lafontaine.

Article Ten of the Covenant is that by which the members of the League bind themselves to respect and preserve the integrity and existing political independence of all members of the League. Opposition to the League in the United States was principally based on this article, through which, it was alleged by League opponents, the United States might become entangled in European quarrels.

M. Branting's Accusations
Charges that the League of Nations had been extravagant and had discriminated against countries which remained neutral in the world war were made by Hjalmar Branting, of Sweden, at this morning's session of the League assembly. He also criticized the action of the Council of the League in awarding the Aland Islands to Finland, saying he regretted "the decision of the council which might have been made in a more judicious manner."

M. Branting suggested that the members of the League might cut off their contributions if the League did not succeed in producing results more in accord with its fundamental principles.

Lord Robert's Speech
Lord Robert Cecil praised the frankness of M. Branting, but declared the secretary of the League from his charges of extravagance and partiality.

"It is impossible to settle a dispute with satisfaction to both sides," he declared in referring to M. Branting's criticism of the Aland Islands award. The fact that the Council had reached a decision which both parties accepted, he regarded as a great accomplishment.

A continuation of the Polish-Lithuanian controversy after all the efforts that have been made to settle it in an international dispute, Lord Robert said. He appealed directly to the countries to put an end to the dispute. He said he hoped the Council will arrive at a solution of the Silesian question which will appeal to the whole world as just.

A flurry of interest spread over the audience as the South African delegate arose and announced he wished to speak on mandates. Lord Robert reviewed the whole mandate question, during which he took occasion not only to criticize the policy of the United States, but also the lack of publicity permitted by the recent meeting of the Council of the League.

Regarding the note recently sent by the United States Department of State, he said that international affairs would have been better advanced had it been received earlier.

Injustice to Territories
"These territories," he said, referring to the countries over which mandates are provided by the covenant of the League of Nations, "must no longer be left in their present situation, deprived of a definite status or a definite government."

He said he did not want to appear to criticize the United States, "but the mandates should be settled in the interest of the peoples directly interested with them, and without further delay."

The mandates, he added, must not be "camouflaged." The South African delegate scored the action and conduct of the military commission of the league, which he said, had been studying disarmament for a year and a half without formulating a single constructive suggestion regarding disarmament.

Armament Scandal
The world cannot afford to go on spending twenty per cent of the Government outlay for armaments, he declared.

"What the world needs," he asserted, "is the revival of industries of Continued on Page 4

BAR ASSOCIATION COMES TO COAST

OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—The next annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association will be held either in Vancouver or Victoria in August of next year. This was decided at a meeting of the executive council of the association today.

SKELETON IS FOUND IN COLUMBIA RIVER

REVELSTOCK, Sept. 6.—This morning Provincial Police Officer Markand, City Chief of Police Spratt and Robert Blackmoor took the skeleton of a woman from the Columbia River at the foot of the old dock.

The skeleton was practically nude, except for the remains of a portion of a pair of corsets hanging to the waist. The body was located last evening by David Sturdy and Rodger Poote, but darkness prevented the removal of the remains until this morning.

The body is believed to be that of May Cleland, who lost her life in the unfortunate boat accident of Sunday, June 27, 1920.

SOME MINISTERS LEAVING OFFICE

Ottawa Gossip Conveys Names of Those Likely to Retire—All Members of Cabinet Said to Resign Pro Forma

OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—Cabinet reconstruction is proceeding apace, but so far the Prime Minister has not announced his reorganized ministry. It is expected, however, that an announcement will be made within a week or so. As a preliminary, and following the usual custom, it is understood that resignations of all present members of the cabinet are being placed in the hands of the Premier.

The idea is that Mr. Meikhen is thus given a free hand in the work of reorganization. It does not mean that all the present ministers will retire, although from present indications, it is probable that a number will do so. The resignations would not take effect until accepted.

The name of Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, is mentioned today as one of those who have definitely decided to retire.

Sir Henry Drayton is at present away from the capital on a few days' holiday. Confirmation of a report from Toronto, that he might contest the seat now held by Sir George Foster cannot be obtained.

Another Forecast
WINNIPEG, Sept. 8.—The Winnipeg Free Press Bulletin carries the following from its Ottawa correspondent:

It is said here all but four members of the cabinet have tendered their resignations. The four are Premier Meighen, Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance; Hon. Dr. Tomin, Minister of Agriculture, and Sir Edward Kemp, minister without portfolio.

"The reasons for the tendering of the resignations vary. Generally speaking, the desire is to give the Premier a free hand in his plans of reconstruction. In the case, however, of Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce; Hon. Dr. Reid, Minister of Railways, and Hon. J. A. Cleaver, Minister of Justice, the resignations are said to be for other reasons, and all are said to be slated for the senate, while Hon. C. J. Doherty is booked for Geneva, where he is at present engaged in the assembly of the League. His presence there precludes the possibility of his participation in the campaign in any case."

HUNGARY FIGHTS FOR BURGENLAND

Regular Troops Apparently Taking Part in Effort to Keep Territory Awarded to Austria by Treaty

VIENNA, Sept. 8.—Superior Hungarian forces this morning captured Agendorf, and are advancing on Matzendorf, the temporary seat of the Burgenland Government, which is in flight.

Hungarian troops led by two parish priests, Stephen Varga, of Zagersdorf, and Karl Schmidt, of Drauzburg, last night overpowered the Austrian garrison at Zagersdorf. Two members of the garrison were killed and many wounded, while the Hungarians were taken away in motor trucks.

Reinforcements overtook the Hungarians this morning, and the Austrians were released. The priests were made prisoners and taken to Wiener Neustadt, where they were almost lynched by an angry crowd.

No Preliminary Conference
LONDON, Sept. 8.—In Japanese circles it was said today nothing was known of any preliminary conference here to settle on a programme for the Washington conference. It was added that the Japanese still were awaiting the views of the American Government on the agenda.

WISH TO AVOID MORE BLOODSHED

Premier Lloyd George Defines Ministers' Attitude Regarding Ireland in Message to Trades Union Congress

DUBLIN EXPECTS NEW CONFERENCE

Difficulty Threatens Over Position of Northern Government—Dublin Paper Advises Round-Table Meeting

INVERNESS, Scotland, Sept. 8.—Premier Lloyd George today replied to the message from the Trades Union Congress at Cardiff, declaring nobody is more opposed than his Majesty's Government to bloodshed, and most of all to fratricidal war between citizens of the same Empire.

"But," he added, "I have the authority of the greatest democratic statesman in history for the belief that even bloodshed is better than the disruption of the living political organism whose strength and unity are essential to the freedom of the world."

Lloyd George probably will remain several weeks in Scotland.

Sinn Fein Leaders Silent
DUBLIN, Sept. 8.—Arthur Griffith and other Sinn Fein leaders awaited their invitation to the conference, but the arrival of Robert C. Barton, who is carrying the British Cabinet's reply to Ireland, because, although its terms are known, Sinn Fein are anxious to learn further details.

Printed forecasts prepared the public for a much stiffer note. Sinn Fein leaders are still silent respecting their invitation, but they are expected to meet the British Cabinet's reply to Ireland, because, although its terms are known, Sinn Fein are anxious to learn further details.

Mr. Lloyd George's letter leaves for a further conference all points of Continued on Page 7

ANTI-ORIENTAL ORDER HELD UP

Mr. Justice Murphy Grants Injunction Against Enforcement—Question Is Expected to Go to Highest Court

VANCOUVER, Sept. 8.—Until the constitutionality of the Oriental order-in-council is passed upon by the Supreme Court of Canada, the Provincial Government is restrained by injunction granted today by Mr. Justice Murphy from prohibiting the employment of Japanese and Chinese by holders of timber licences.

When the application was heard today in Supreme Court chambers, counsel were the Attorney-General and a former Attorney-General of the Province. Hon. J. W. de B. Farris appeared on behalf of himself and the Minister of Lands, Mr. J. A. Cleaver, and Charles Wilson, K. C., for the plaintiff, Brooks-Bidlake and Whittall, Limited.

About a year ago, it was decided to enforce an old order-in-council banning employment of Orientals in logging camps.

The validity of the regulation was referred to the Court of Appeal, which decided the order-in-council was ultra vires of the Provincial authority, and conflicting with the rights accorded Japanese residents of the Province by treaty. In short, the action of the Provincial authorities was considered to be discrimination.

The decision of the Court of Appeal, Mr. Justice Murphy was bound to grant an injunction, a proposition which His Lordship readily agreed.

Hon. Mr. Farris explained that the next step would be the hearing before the Supreme Court of Canada. The Minister of Justice, he said, in view of representations from the Japanese Consul-General at Ottawa, seeking disavowance of the act, decided to refer the whole matter to the Supreme Court of Canada for its opinion. The case previously heard by the Court of Appeal here, and the litigation concerning the present act, would be heard probably in October.

Decision will turn on the constitutionality of the act, and whether it is an infringement on the Japanese treaty provisions and discriminates against Japanese residents of British Columbia.

The Attorney-General stated that in time the case will probably be carried to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

DESPERADO KILLS TWO POLICE OFFICERS

HIBBING, Minn., Sept. 8.—Chief of Police Daniel Hayes and Chief of Detectives Cassidy are dead, and William Kohrt, a 24-year-old son of Hibbing, is in a local hospital.

The officers were attempting to arrest Webb on a statutory charge. Webb made his escape toward Wilkin, and is being pursued by a posse of several hundred men.

PREMIER'S ANSWER INVITES DE VALERA TO MEET CABINET

PROHIBITION LESSENS DISSECTION SUBJECTS

TORONTO, Sept. 8.—Prohibition is working a severe handicap on the medical colleges of the country, as it is causing a dearth of bodies for dissecting purposes, said Dr. J. D. McMurich, professor of anatomy, when addressing the convention of the Canadian Embalmers' Association today.

Since prohibition, Professor McMurich had found that men belonging to the class which formerly died destitute through indulgence in liquor were now leaving estates sufficient to give them burial.

The professor appealed to the embalmers to assist the suffering colleges as much as possible in their present difficulty.

MEMBERS OF BAR HOLD BANQUET

Speeches of Prominent Men Emphasize High Ideals of Profession—Law and Justice as Factors in Empire

OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—Inspiring addresses pointing to the lofty ideals which must animate all members of the legal profession, marked the sixth annual banquet of the Canadian Bar Association in the Chateau Laurier this evening. The position of the profession was declared to be in the van of the forward march of humanity, and in the upbuilding and maintenance of civilization.

In the absence of Sir James Alkins, K. C., president, who was recalled to Manitoba on public business, H. W. Atwater, K. C., Montreal, presided. The speakers included Sir Hon. Sir John Simon, K. C., Hon. H. J. Carson, Philadelphia; Sir Francois Lemieux, Chief Justice of the Superior Court of Quebec; Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, and Mr. Justice Hodgins, Toronto. His Excellency Baron Byng was present, as were leaders in the legal, political and social life of Canada.

One of the pleasing features of the banquet was the unanimous election of Sir Malcolm Macdonald, a prominent member of the British Bar, to an honorary membership in the Canadian Bar Association.

The speeches were marked throughout by graceful references to the energy and ability of Sir James Alkins. All carried forward opinion that law and justice were the predominant factors in the binding together of the British Empire. This was particularly stated by Sir John Simon, who declared that the British Empire was not held together by a formula or a machine-made constitution, but by the friendship between man and man, woman and woman, and the justice of common law.

Prohibition in Norway

CHRISTIANIA, Sept. 8.—The lower house of parliament adopted a prohibition bill, which forbids the importation of liquor or wine containing more than 14 per cent alcohol. The bill now goes to the upper house, where it is expected to be approved.

Tatoosh Station Will Guide Ships in Fog

First Wireless Beacon in This Vicinity Is Now in Operation—Shipping Invited to Make Full Use of Apparatus—Modern Device Directs Vessels as Easily as in Broad Daylight

The first direction-finding wireless station to be established in this vicinity is now operating at Tatoosh, off Cape Flattery, and shipping using the Straits of Juan de Fuca is being invited by the United States authorities to make the fullest possible use of the station for the purpose of obtaining bearings at sea. The exact geographical position of the Tatoosh apparatus is lat. 48 deg. 23 min. 41.14 sec. North, long. 24 deg. 44 min. 12.77 sec. West. The wave length, which must be used for all communication in connection with obtaining bearings, is 800 metres. Notification of the full commissioning of the Tatoosh station has been received from the commandant of the U. S. Thirteenth Naval District, Seattle, by Mr. E. J. Houston, British Columbia superintendent for Canadian Government radio-telegraphs. The American officials request that the widest publicity be given the notice among shipping men and interests in order that the radio compass may be utilized to the fullest extent of which it is capable.

Urges Use of Station

The advice that "practice makes perfect" is especially applicable to radio compass stations, and the more opportunities afforded by shipping to the operators to obtain bearings, the greater will be the accuracy and rapidity with which these bearings can be obtained. The preliminary experiments in connection with Tatoosh radio compass station indicate that the bearings obtained will be reliable. However, for the information of all

Points Out That Further Exchange of Correspondence Would Be Useless and Asks Whether Sinn Fein Leaders Are Willing to Take Part in Personal Consultations

INVERNESS, SEPT. 20 SUGGESTED IN NOTE

Premier Interprets Phrase, "Government by Consent of Governed"—Public Expects Invitation to Be Accepted—Some Difficulties, Including Ulster, Would Remain

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The text of Mr. Lloyd George's letter, which was dispatched to Dublin from Inverness, Scotland, yesterday, in answer to the latest message from Eamonn de Valera, the Sinn Fein leader, follows:

"His Majesty's Government has considered your letter of August 30, and has to make the following observations upon it:

"The principle of government by the consent of the governed is the foundation of British constitutional development, but we cannot accept as a basis of a practical conference an interpretation of that principle which would commit us to any demands you might present, even to the extent of setting up a republic and repudiating the crown.

"You must be aware that a conference on such a basis is impossible.

"So applied, the principle of government by consent of the governed would undermine the fabric of every democratic state and drive the civilized world back into tribalism.

"On the other hand, we have invited you to discuss our proposals on their merits, in order that you may have no doubt as to the scope and sincerity of our intentions.

"It would be open to you in such a conference to raise the subject of guarantees on any points in which you may consider Irish freedom prejudiced by these proposals. His Majesty's Government is loath to believe that you will insist upon rejection of their proposals without examining them in a conference.

"To decline to discuss a settlement which would bestow upon the Irish people the fullest freedom for national development within the Empire, can only mean that you repudiate all allegiance to the crown and all membership in the British Commonwealth.

"If we are to draw this inference from your letter, further discussions between us could serve no useful purpose, and all conferences would be in vain. If, however, we are mistaken in this inference, as we still hope, and if your real objection to our proposals is that they offer Ireland less than the liberty we have described, that objection can be explored at a conference.

"You will agree that this correspondence has lasted long enough. His Majesty's Government, therefore, asks for a definite reply as to whether you are prepared to enter a conference to ascertain how the association of Ireland with the community of nations known as the British Empire can be reconciled with Irish national aspirations.

Conference Is Expected

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Mr. Lloyd George's letter to Eamonn de Valera, the Irish republican leader, which was sent to Dublin after the meeting of the British cabinet at Inverness yesterday, seems at present to insure that the Sinn Fein plenipotentiaries will meet the special committee of cabinet ministers at Inverness on September 20 for the purpose of clearing up any ambiguity the Sinn Fein leaders may entertain about the six conditions the British Government stipulated as a reservation in granting Ireland a dominion status.

The Prime Minister's letter, like all his communications since the Irish negotiations began, is characterized by consideration for the Sinn Fein. While it suggests a date for the proposed conference, it is in no sense an ultimatum and sets no time limit to the negotiations. In fact it tends to prove what has been maintained throughout by those close to the Premier, that he earnestly desires a settlement.

The belief as almost universal to those who know Mr. de Valera, is that what Mr. de Valera desires, namely, an untrammelled conference with the single condition that Ireland remains in the British Empire. The guarantees which Mr. de Valera is supposed to have in mind are membership in the League of Nations and the Imperial conference, and these, it is believed, the Government would be willing to grant.

Ulster Intrudes
Assuming that the conference will meet as suggested, there is still the question of Ulster, which is not touched on in the Premier's letter. Mr. Lloyd George's original proposal was for a conference including Ulster, but up to the present there is no suggestion that Ulster has yielded in its determination to base itself on the Home Rule Act and the northern Parliament. A representative of the Government, in an interview at Inverness, said today that in the event of the conference failing, the Government would proceed with the Home Rule Act, which, by inference, may be interpreted to mean that the Government regards the Act in partial abeyance.

Even should the proposed conference at Inverness amount to the initial difficulties, there would still remain Ulster, on which Mr. de Valera holds strong views.

The question of the desire of Fernand and Trome to be separated from the northern Parliament also is likely to be raised in the conference, and this would bring a bitter conflict with Ulster. It will thus be seen that there are yet many difficulties ahead.

China Government's Request
PEKING, Sept. 8.—It is understood that the China government has communicated to Washington the suggestion that it be accorded unofficial representation at the conference for the limitation of armaments. The Japanese legation has handed to the foreign office a memorandum outlining the basis on which Japan desires to negotiate the return of Shantung.

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THREATENS TO KEEP MONEY FROM POLAND

RIGA, Sept. 8.—The Russian soviet government, according to a semi-official Bolshevik source here, has informed Poland that Russia will refuse to turn over any portion of the thirty million gold rubles awarded Poland under the Riga Treaty until Poland has expelled from that country General Boris Savinkoff, leader of the Russian Social Revolutionaries, and alleged followers of Savinkoff.

the weekly wages of the printers, the secretary of the Master Printers' Federation states that many members of the trades unions are accepting the intimidation of the reduction as a notice of dismissal.

There will be little printing after next week unless wiser counsels prevail, as the employers feel that they have gone as far as they possibly can.

Notices were posted in the printing shops last week announcing the reduction in wages to take effect after next week.

WAGE DISPUTE HURTS PRINTING INDUSTRY

LONDON, Sept. 8.—In connection with the impending crisis in the printing industry, due to the proposed reduction of seven shillings and sixpence in

Drop in German Marks
NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—German marks were at their lowest quotation since the war in the local foreign exchange market today. By noon-time they had dropped to 1,005 cents. Shortly after the opening they had touched the previous low record of 1,011, made on January 28, 1920.

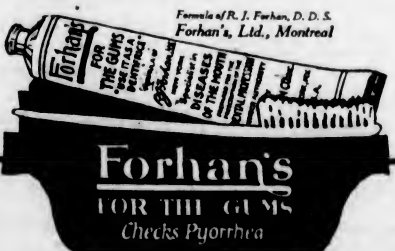
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KING'S MESSAGE TO METHODISTS

Expresses Hope of Good Results From Conference Deliberations—American Bishop Refers to Irish Affairs

LONDON, Sept. 8.—A message from King George, congratulating them upon the convening of the world conference of Methodists, was read at yesterday's session of the gathering, which was presided over by Bishop John Louis Hudson, of Switzerland. The message said: "The King trusts the outcome of their deliberations may be to promote the advancement of a deeper religious spirit in the daily life of the peoples of the world, and to further the movement toward a closer intercommunication between the Christian churches."

Bishop Frederic L. Lee, of Atlanta, Ga., speaking on the church's war work, said: "The United States did not win the war. Only foolish Americans claim that. When called upon, Americans did their part."

Regarding the Irish situation, he said: "The Methodists of the West think that the business is no more ours than the government of the Philippines is of Great Britain and France."

Bishop Kogoro Usaki was introduced as the first representative of the Methodist Church in Japan to participate in the congress.

Applause greeted his statement that in Japan the church had nearly doubled in twelve years since it was organized, and also his declaration of a desire to maintain the most friendly relations among the churches of the United States, Canada and Japan. He concluded his remarks by saying that Japan must take the lead in Christianizing the East.

HIS EXCELLENCY ADDRESSES BAR

Believes Association of Legal Gentlemen Will Assist in Building Up English-Speaking Nations

OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—"I am before you to be sized up as Governor-General. I can only hope to get as favorable a verdict as I did from the splendid boys Canada sent overseas," said His Excellency Lord Byng of Vimy, Governor-General of Canada, when addressing the Canadian Bar Association here this morning.

His Excellency was formally welcomed by Major F. G. Taylor, D.S.O., K.C., Portage la Prairie, and by Captain Adolphe Mail, K.C., of Montreal, both of whom served in the Canadian Corps under General Byng.

"In these days everyone is working along the lines of a great English-speaking union. You have one here," Lord Byng asserted, when pointing to the constructive value of a gathering composed of leading English, American and Canadian lawyers. This was one of the best means of propagating the English-speaking union, one of the finest of all ideas. "We are all in it. All in the same boat, but the same as we were in the war," His Excellency declared.

In conclusion, Lord Byng said: "I am trying to feel my way. I am trying to understand your ideals and ambitions, and I think I have got some little idea of that road. I shall make mistakes, but these mistakes will only be due to a great and earnest desire to render the affection of this great Dominion."

In welcoming His Excellency, Major Taylor said that events of the war would never be forgotten by Canadians. The members of the Canadian Bar Association had proved their loyalty to the Empire in his native province of Manitoba more than 70 per cent of the profession enlisted, and he was sure the same was true of all the provinces.

The men who served in France knew they could secure the support, guidance and co-operation which they secured from him at Vimy and other fields of battle.

Sir J. A. M. Atkins, K.C., was again unanimously elected president of the association this morning. Right Hon. Charles J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, was chosen honorary president.

The Western provincial vice-presidents elected were: Alberta—Hon. J. E. Brownlee, K.C.; British Columbia—Hon. J. W. del. Parrie, K.C.; Manitoba—Hon. T. H. Johnson, K.C.; Ontario—Hon. W. E. Roney, K.C.; Saskatchewan—Hon. W. M. Martin, K.C.

E. H. Coleman, Winnipeg, was elected secretary-treasurer.

TRAINS DYNAMITED ON SOUTHERN ROAD

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 8.—Military protection for employees and property of the Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic Railway will be asked of Governor Hardwick as a result of numerous cases of dynamiting of the road's freight trains. It was stated today by Colonel B. L. Bug, receiver for the road, following the wreck of a freight on the outskirts of Atlanta last night, in which the engine was killed and several negro trainmen injured.

FARMERS IN VICTORIA DEMAND WHEAT POOL

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Reuter's Melbourne correspondent cables that the parliament of the State of Victoria met yesterday, but that a last vote to show the strength of the government is not expected before September 13.

The Farmers' Party, holding 12 seats, have announced their decision to fight for continuance of the wheat pool, which the government is about to abandon. The fate of the government, therefore, hinges on the attitude which the labor faction will adopt. Labor has 21 seats and the government 32.

FEW VETERANS VOTE FOR AMALGAMATION

CALGARY, Sept. 8.—Less than 500 veterans in Calgary voted in favor of an amalgamation of the G. A. U. V. I. Army and Navy, and G. W. V. A. locals, in a ballot which has been circulated during the last month. The ballots were counted today, and as the G. W. V. A. has more than 5,000 paid-up members, the vote is regarded as an endorsement of the organization.

G. W. V. A. officials assisted in efforts to secure the expression of opinion from all ex-service men and women, but they claim that as their membership is six times as great as the number who voted for amalgamation, they are bound to regard the ballot as a vote of confidence in the G. W. V. A.

As a result of the ballot, efforts are now being made to create an amalgamation of veterans to take political action without affiliation with any veterans' organization.

SOVIET REFLECTS IDEA OF INQUIRY

Will Not Permit International Commission to Operate—Seed Grain Found—Shortage of Cars Hampers Relief

MOSCOW, Sept. 8.—The Russian Soviet Government has declined to permit the international Russian relief commission, recently appointed by the Allied Supreme Council, to investigate conditions in Russia, preparatory to aiding in famine relief.

This decision was made known today through the note forwarded by M. Tchitcherin, the Soviet foreign minister, to England, Italy, France and Belgium. The note says the Soviet government regards the appointment of Joseph Noulens, of France, as chairman "as a monstrous snarl at the fate of starving Russia."

The note recalls the activities of M. Noulens against the Soviet government when he was French ambassador at Petrograd, and dismisses the entire proposal of the Supreme Council as unfeasible, and designed, to give Russia's enemies' opportunities of spying into its affairs. It emphasizes the willingness of Russia to accept all the famine-stricken people from the individual powers on such terms as those governing relief work of the American Relief Administration and that of the International Red Cross led by P. Noulens.

Seed Grain Furnished
RIGA, Sept. 8.—According to The Pravda, of Moscow, the Russian government has solved the problem of furnishing seed grain to the Volga region to prevent a repetition in 1922 of the famine. It adds, however, that relief from the famine is increasing.

More than 13,500,000 pounds of grain, it says, had been collected up to September 2, of which 8,000,000 pounds already have been sent to the Volga.

"The supplying of the Volga region with seed has been accomplished, but the famine is still far from being successful," says The Pravda.

"The Ukraine has been asked to furnish 60,000,000 pounds, and to aid in its collection a volunteer army of 20,000 peasants from the hunger districts is being sent into the Ukraine to fight the bandits who are interfering with the collection of food."

RIGA, Sept. 8.—A lack of cars is retarding somewhat the movement of the American Relief Administration's food into Russia. Food ships are arriving here faster than the Soviet authorities can turn out rolling stock.

The relief work, however, is well under way, and, according to a Relief Administration courier who has arrived from Moscow, the Soviet authorities are co-operating with the Americans.

Dr. Ross Hill, acting European commissioner for the American Red Cross, has announced that the Red Cross will not enter Russia at present, but will assist the Relief Administration by turning over to it funds and medical supplies.

The first American relief kitchen in Russia was opened last Tuesday in Petrograd, where 50,000 children are to be fed, according to advice reaching here today.

CONFERENCE RUMOR ONCE MORE CROPS UP

LONDON, Sept. 8.—What quarter is responsible for the repeatedly vetoed suggestion that preliminary conversations should be held in London concerning the agenda of the forthcoming session in Washington on limitation of armaments—appearing again today in the form of an article in The London Times—remains a matter of conjecture.

The newspaper today published a statement to the effect that informal discussions have progressed so far that conversations will begin as soon as representatives of the interested powers return to London, and expresses hope that they may rapidly lead to favorable results so that the main features of the agenda may be decided upon by the time the Japanese mission leaves Tokyo for Washington.

Inquiry brought emphatic denial in British official circles that any such conversations were in contemplation. In one well-informed quarter it was declared that the report was probably a "feeler" emanating in foreign quarters.

CONFERENCE VIEWS OF TRADES CONGRESS

CARDIFF, Wales, Sept. 8.—The trades union congress today adopted a resolution, which was moved by J. H. Thomas, head of the National Union of Railwaymen, approving the calling of the conference on limitation of armaments at Washington, but declaring the conference would be unsatisfactory unless labor was adequately represented, and claiming the right of the Congress to appoint representatives.

The resolution protested against the British Government's extensive armaments program, and asked for a suspension of all war preparations at least until the Washington conference is over.

Mr. Thomas, in introducing the resolution, said the League of Nations was useless unless it dealt with the subject of armaments, which he declared were the real source of war.

C. P. R. PRESIDENT IS OPTIMISTIC

Believes Conditions in Canada's Industrial and Business Fields Will Soon Improve—Question of Rates

PORT WILLIAM, Sept. 8.—C. P. R. officials here this morning included President E. W. Beatty, K. C.; Senator Belque, director, and vice-president of the Bank of Montreal; Sir Herbert Holt, president of the Kamistiquia Power Co., all of Montreal; General Superintendent J. J. Scully, Master Mechanic J. S. Allan, North Bay; Vice-President A. D. MacTavish, Montreal; W. C. Guthrie, superintendent at Schreiber; and E. F. McKee, president's private secretary. The party came in at 4:15 this morning and left for the West at 10 o'clock.

A. D. MacTavish and other Eastern officials here this morning included officials meeting the party here were D. C. Coleman, vice-president; A. E. Stevens, general superintendent; F. Herbert Holt, master mechanic, all of Winnipeg; J. J. Horn, superintendent, and J. J. Allan, master mechanic, Kenora.

President Reviews Conditions
Many local men called upon the president this morning, the course of an interview President Beatty said:

"While there still exists pronounced pessimism in business, especially in Eastern Canada, it is possible, indeed probable, that during the Fall months of the year there will be an improvement, largely due to the stimulus and increased purchasing power because of the excellent Western crop. It is not to be expected that the revival in general business will be other than gradual, and it may easily be next Spring before a general tendency towards normal conditions is observed. Unemployment exists in particular localities to a considerable extent, but it will not, I think, become acute during the Fall months. There will undoubtedly be considerable unemployment during the Winter, but the possibility of this has been thoroughly appreciated for some months past, and the governments, municipalities and corporations are prepared to take such steps as they legitimately can to reduce it by the only proper means, namely, by wherever possible providing work. Any other method of relieving the situation should only be considered because of absolute necessity. There is still some shortage of labor on the railway for maintenance work, and while good weather prevails the forces may be increased and thus provide employment for those who are willing to undertake this kind of labor. There is also, I am glad to say, a steady improvement in the financial situation and a good demand for high-grade securities, especially in the United States, which conditions will undoubtedly be reflected in a short time on those existing in Canada."

No Cause for Pessimism

"There is nothing in the situation which should cause pessimism. The problems we have to face are known, and, therefore, capable of being dealt with. The period of rigid economy which we have gone through was not without its advantages. In no other way could an adequate appreciation of labor in the railway for maintenance work, and while good weather prevails the forces may be increased and thus provide employment for those who are willing to undertake this kind of labor. There is also, I am glad to say, a steady improvement in the financial situation and a good demand for high-grade securities, especially in the United States, which conditions will undoubtedly be reflected in a short time on those existing in Canada."

The Conditions in Canada

"The conditions in Canada are fundamentally sound. There has been nothing in the nature of an acute depression, especially as compared with other countries. It is, I think, a fact, however, that the two great necessities for the country's advancement, namely, the obtaining of suitable settlers in large numbers as possible and the attraction of capital to the country, are not being met. The Canadian enterprises, should be given most serious consideration, now and not later. It is policies which are initiated in time of depression that are usually those of super-caution, and not founded on either hope or courage, but there is nothing in Canadian conditions to warrant the lack of either."

Care in Expenditure

"Governmental economy still should be a watchword, and the money necessary for the maintenance of the country's institutions and the meeting of its obligations should be obtained by measures which bear as lightly as possible upon the individual taxpayer. I think it will be found that a reduction in the income taxes will be the part of wisdom, and, as in the United States, reductions in those taxes will be highly desirable because of the consequent releasing of money for industrial and commercial expansion. The aggregate money for investment thus made available will be considerable, and while it is impossible for us to meet the capital demands of the country with Canadian capital alone, the more of our own money invested in Canada the better for the country. The best Canadian is he who has a personal stake in the enterprises of his own country."

"There is nothing special to announce as to the company's program for 1922, as that will not be determined until a later date."

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situation, Mr. Beatty stated that undoubtedly in rates would be necessary just as soon as the financial condition of the companies warranted it. He pointed out that during this period of depression, the purchases of the larger systems were very greatly reduced, and from the standpoint of the welfare of the country it was highly undesirable that their finances should be so contracted that fairly free spending of money in Canada should be prevented. He pointed out that all railways preferred to make reasonable earnings through the free movement of traffic at moderate rates rather than a restricted movement under higher rates, but that regard must be had to the earning power and consequent effect on the credit of the companies if moneys were to be readily obtained to enable them to meet the natural expansion of the country, which was inevitable, and not, in his opinion, in the distant future.

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GENEVA, Sept. 8.—It was said in League of Nations circles yesterday that Elihu Root would probably be elected a judge of the new international court of justice in spite of re-

ports of his declining to accept. It was said his decision was not regarded as final, and that friends of the League in the United States had declared there still were hopes that he would accept.

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G. T. R. REPORT EXCITES LONDON

Judgment of Majority of Arbitrators of Finance as "Tragedy of Finance"—Quotations Break on Exchange

LONDON, Sept. 8.—"One of the greatest tragedies of finance" is the heading of The Pall Mall Gazette on the announcement of the Grand Trunk arbitration board that the common and preferred stock of that company are, in the opinion of the majority of the board, worth nothing. The Pall Mall Gazette says the business interests of the City of London were thunderstruck at the announcement. The price of the "Junior Issues" of Grand Trunk stocks and bonds came down with a rush.

In Canadian circles in London, says The Gazette, there is suggestion of a dole for the unfortunate stockholders, but compassionate consideration hardly a matter for the Canadian Government. The ludicrous end of the company, says the paper, as a joint stock undertaking, is one of the tragedies of finance. There are tangible assets to show for money sunk in the undertaking, and it is those who took no risks who henceforth will reap any fruits.

The newspaper describes the result of the arbitration as something of a bombshell. It appears, remarks the paper, that the question of a possible compensation is thrown on the Government. It holds out the hope that it is not at all likely that this decision is the last word in the matter, and it is pointed out that the allusion which the chairman, Sir Walter Cassels, makes to "equitable moral consideration" can at least be inferred to mean that the door is not shut.

Report to Chairman

Sir Alfred Smithers, chairman of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, when interviewed by the Canadian Press, produced a cable sent him privately from Montreal, and which, Sir Alfred maintained, put a complexion on the finding of the board of arbitration different from that conveyed in the newspaper cables.

The cable referred to reads: "Telephone advice from counsel at Ottawa may be that the majority judgment rendered by Cassels and White declares that neither preferred nor common stocks of the Grand Trunk have any value. Dissenting opinion by Taft, who took two hours for delivery, holds that both stocks have value and placing such value at slightly more than maximum fixed by the Act."

Chairman Smithers said after reading this cable to the Canadian Press: "I can do nothing more until I get the full report of what these gentlemen said. Then I shall call together the shareholders' committee, of which I am chairman, and we shall duly make recommendations to the general body of shareholders."

Stock Exchange Excitement

The judgment of the Grand Trunk Board of Arbitration was undoubtedly the main topic of conversation on the stock exchange today, the cable to Chairman Smithers being prominently posted in the stock exchange building.

One private holder of several thousands of shares of the common stock declared: "Venezuela or Guatemala would never have adopted such a course. The Grand Trunk has had a course of three Canadian Government money. What have the Canadian Pacific and Canadian Northern had?"

The same person also noted that "the biggest man on the board of arbitration was apparently entirely in favor of the shareholders."

Grand Trunk "ordinary" stock, which opened yesterday at \$1.4, was quoted today at 3. The first preferred, quoted yesterday at 47 1/2, today was at 25; second preferred, yesterday 36, today 18; third preferred, yesterday 14 1/2, today 9.

Canadian Papers

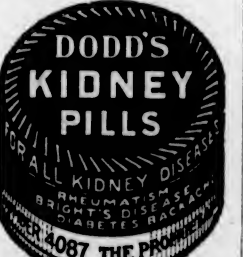
TORONTO, Sept. 8.—The Canadian Press has gathered the following editorial comment in connection with the award of the Grand Trunk Arbitration Board.

The Globe: "The award in effect is a denial that the Grand Trunk is worth anything beyond the money invested in it by the holders of bonds, debentures and guaranteed stock. Inevitably this conclusion will be challenged before the Imperial Privy Council."

Bitter Comment

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Regarding the majority report of the Grand Trunk Arbitration Commission, made public yesterday, The Evening Standard says that after the manner in which British investors in Canadian utility companies have been treated during the last few years, it was hardly to be expected that any more consideration would be shown the Grand Trunk shareholders.

However, if generosity was not expected, says The Standard, it was thought that justice would be done at least. While stating that in declaring the ordinary and preferred stocks valueless, the arbitrators have elected to wipe out capital amounting to 127,000,000. The Standard admits that about two millions is the real minimal value of this, and the fact of the stocks being worth anything is because "there is always people who are ready to gamble on a possibility."

**TATOOSH STATION WILL GUIDE SHIPS IN FOG**

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under consideration by the Ottawa authorities for Pakena and other points on the West Coast of Vancouver Island. In time the two governments will work in harmony at the entrance to the Straits, and incoming liners will be able to make their way into harbor regardless of weather conditions. There will be no need to anchor at Cape Flattery for a day or two waiting for the fog to lift, as was done by vessels this summer, nor will there be such a constant factor in the late arrival of ships to port as they have been here during recent months.

It is in fog that the radio beacons are of greatest use. In the thickest of weather ships can pick up the signals while still many miles from shore, and lay their courses accurately without the aid of shore lights or other observations. The apparatus, a speedometer of which Mr. Haughton has in his office here, and which is being used for training and experimental purposes, is simple in structure and operation, but its utilization only at times when absolute accuracy is essential necessitates thorough training for the operators and more than a smattering of navigation.

Apparatus Is Simple

It consists of an eight-stranded coil of wire wound on a frame four feet square, mounted on a revolving base. To it is attached a receiver for wireless waves, and as it rotates its audience grows and lessens in intensity according to the direction in which it faces. At the moment of silence the coil and frame are at right angles to the point whence the radio message is coming. A shore station picking up signals from a ship can thus easily determine her bearing, while two or more stations by their observations, and agreeing among themselves can determine her exact position at sea. Many German submarines are believed to have been trapped and sunk during the war by means of this invention, which was unknown to the enemy.

While considered of greatest use ashore, the apparatus can just as easily be installed aboard ship. It is light and readily adjusted and may be mounted over the pilot house and operated from within. The radio beacons on shore, each one identified by its distinctive signal, and with its location shown on the navigators' charts, cannot be confused with the sending of other stations or other ships. When two or more are within range the pilot can easily determine where his ship is and at what distance from the Bcacons. Wireless

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Preliminary estimates of this year's production of winter wheat and hay and forecasts for other crops, based on their condition by the Department of Agriculture today as follows: Winter wheat, 544,000,000 bushels; Spring wheat, 210,000,000; all wheat, 754,000,000; corn, 2,184,000,000; oats, 1,090,000,000; barley, 167,000,000 and rye, 64,000,000 bushels.

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SCIENTIST FROWNS ON CHEMICAL WARFARE

EDINBURGH, Scotland, Sept. 8.—Protests against chemical warfare were uttered in the opening address at the meeting of the British Association here last night.

The address, written by Sir Edward Thorpe, president of the Association, was read by Sir A. E. Wing, and appealed to scientific men "not to employ their talents in devising means to develop and perpetuate warfare which is abhorrent to the higher instincts of humanity."

More than two thousand members attended the session.

GLASGOW DISTRICTS LEAVE "DRY" COLUMN

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Polling in three districts in Glasgow, where the polls in the temperance act election last November were declared illegal, showed a complete reversal from the former results.

Parkhead and Campbell wards, which in November voted for limitation of hours during which liquor could be sold, now vote "no change." White Inch ward, which previously voted "dry," now votes for limitation.

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GRAND TRUNK REVELATIONS

The award of the Grand Trunk Arbitration Board, composed of two Canadian financiers of acknowledged ability and integrity and of one of the most eminent lawyers and public men of the United States, will create grave disquietude in Great Britain and is not likely to arouse much enthusiasm in Canada, notwithstanding the fact that it will relieve taxpayers of this country of liability for more than thirty-seven million pounds sterling. The loss to British shareholders will be a severe one, and the probability is that it will have to be borne by many who in these troubled financial times can ill afford it.

Grave charges have been made by the Arbitration Board against the management of the company, of manipulation of the books and appropriation of funds to unauthorized purposes. The shareholders, of course, were not parties to any such transactions, but, whatever the consequences, they have to suffer. The only hope they can entertain, in compassionate consideration of their unfortunate case by the present Government of Canada or its successors in office.

The case of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada is a conspicuous example of an enterprise of great promise ending in disaster. The name of the company was at one time a household word in Canada. The Grand Trunk never was a conspicuous success from a dividend-earning point of view. It struggled hard during the pioneer days of the country, extended its lines until it served the transportation requirements of the most promising parts of Ontario and Quebec, acquiring by purchase several independent short lines, including one good property, the Great Western Railway. If it had confined its sphere into the United States, eventually reaching Chicago, a portion of the system which, according to authorities and records, was a constant strain upon the resources of the system. Even at that, disaster might have been avoided but for the gigantic conception known as the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, which, according to the judgment of the arbitrators, proved the last straw upon the back of the already overburdened corporation. That conception was ill-advised from the point of view of practical transportation authorities and eventually brought about the crash which may involve many innocent persons in ruin.

The management of the Grand Trunk Railway Company have asserted that responsibility for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway was not altogether theirs. They have claimed that the scheme was forced upon them, practically, by a former government of Canada. That assertion does not altogether absolve the management of the Grand Trunk from responsibility in the premises—they surely always were possessed of the privilege of refusing to become partners in an enterprise of doubtful financial sanity—but it does imply that the people of Canada are not altogether free from responsibility in the matter. The arbitrators have suggested that the Canadian Government may give compassionate consideration to the case of the unfortunate shareholders. That, of course, is a matter that may be left to the judgment of Parliament.

DR. TOLMIE'S VIEWS

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture in the Union Government of Canada, and representative of Victoria in Parliament, who lately paid a visit to Great Britain, seems to have received a revelation while there. Addressing a meeting of farmers at the exhibition in Toronto, he declared that he was greatly impressed "with the sanity and soundness" of the British people. Being a practical agriculturist himself, the Doctor was, of course, chiefly interested in the state of that primary industry in the Old Land. He has visited all parts of America and is familiar with the methods and practices of farmers on this continent. And yet the Minister appears to have received some enlightenment. The popular impression on this side of the great waters is that the British are slow in the adoption of new methods in agriculture and in everything else, and that they are handicapped because of their mental imperviousness to new ideas. As a rule, no doubt it is a fact that the British people "do things differently," but if they do things well they probably will not immediately fall to the rear of the procession in any line of industry. Dr. Tolmie says of the British people: "Their advanced agriculture is a lesson for all." But their greatness is not limited to agriculture, which has long been carried on upon scientific principles of production and soil conservation. There are no worked out farms there. In other respects the

Doctor says he found them a wonderful people. They are not saying a word about their achievements during the war. They are going about their business and their sports after the old and long-established custom. And the Minister of Agriculture suggests that probably this predilection for sports may have an influence in the formation of national character, qualifying the people to cope with big problems as they arise. There seems to be a general consensus of opinion in favor of this deduction—and there is no doubt that difficult problems have of late been arising in sufficient numbers within the confines of "the right little isle." The member for Victoria seems to be an observant man, and the conclusions drawn from his observations are both sound and interesting.

THE FLOWING BUSINESS TIDE

The business tide is on the turn in Canada, even if it is not yet flowing as strongly as in the boom days "before the war." The big harvest in the Northwest has been safely garnered as a result of an extremely propitious season. Grain is flowing in larger volume than ever before towards the East at this period of the year, and the prices realized by the farmers are doubtless sufficient to compensate them liberally for their time and labor. The unsettled state of affairs in Russia and in Central Europe, the principal competitors of America in wheat growing, has interfered materially in the production of cereals there and has had the effect of stabilizing prices. The railways and their employees are the first of the interests of Canada to experience the vitalizing effects of the big crop. The revival already has spread as far east as Montreal, which is now one of the busiest ports on the continent, but the effects of it soon will be felt in all parts of Canada. The interior of this Province already has experienced the benefit of prosperity on the Prairies. The Okanagan fruit growers are engaged in the task of completing the collection of the most beautiful crop in the history of their infant industry. The prosperity of the Prairies makes their reward sure. The stimulus which invariably follows prosperity in the Northwest is slower in making its influence felt in the Coast cities of British Columbia, but the people here may await with confidence the influx of migrants which inevitably follows the reaping of abundant harvests in the great grain belt of Canada.

The law may be an ass, but the condition of affairs in places which need not be mentioned furnishes an illustration of the truth that laxness in enforcement of the law in one place tends to the encouragement of lawlessness in other places.

Toronto has taken over the street railway system of that city and promptly raised the fares. Detroit, Michigan, has operated its tramway system for one year and lost a large sum of money. Community operation seems to have a blighting effect upon certain public utilities.

A writer in The Seattle Post-Intelligencer says that "if we could once get the poison idea out of men's minds that work is some kind of an affliction, it would do much towards the rejuvenation of the human race." Quite true; but many men still act as though they believe that the curse laid upon Adam is still in full force and effect.

The Greeks and the Turks are fighting valorously and bloodily, according to press dispatches, and one of the armies is gaining glorious victories. But there never has been a convincing explanation of what the belligerents are fighting about or for. The only thing that seems to be clear is that King Constantine is carrying out the contract which was a condition of his reinstatement upon the throne.

Following recent emphasis of the intense cordiality which has been established between Canada and the United States, an American editor has sent out inquiries regarding the reason why the Canadian people are generally so critical in their attitude towards and comments upon the manners of Americans. Our cousins have their little peculiarities just like the people of all other nationalities, but Canadians are tolerant after the manner of their forefathers in the Old Land. They have no prejudices against Americans. They welcome them when they come over for either business reasons or in pursuit of pleasure, as hundreds of United States citizens resident in British Columbia and other parts of Canada can testify. Next to our own, their system of government is the most democratic in the world. They speak our language and they make the very best of citizens. Why should there be dissensions or misunderstandings between the two peoples?

SOVIET ANNOUNCES PETROGRAD BUTCHERY

RUSSIA, Sept. 8.—Sixty-one persons have been executed by the Bolsheviks, being charged with participating in the recent Petrograd plot, according to the official list printed in The Pravda of Petrograd. Among those put to death were 14 women, most of whom were accused of renting rooms to or otherwise sheltering male participants in the plot.

Others executed included Prince Constantine Tournamant, aged 39, and Prince Sergius Oukhtomsky, aged 35, the latter being a widely-known sculptor. Both were accused of spying, or of sending information out of Russia. Six of the list were described as "American spies or couriers."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except after the proper signature, and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Is He a Myth?

Sir,—In view of the numerous letters and comments which have appeared in your paper re remarks supposed to have been made by a certain G. E. Reilly, I am writing to say, that to the best of my knowledge, that no such person lives in this locality.

SYDNEY S. BROWN.

Langford Station P.O., Sept. 8, 1921.

Mr. Coleman and Col. Flick

Sir,—Have read interview with Col. Flick challenging my statement as to employment offered on the Prairies. Needless to say, I was speaking from personal knowledge and I cannot understand what possible help it will give to the unemployed in British Columbia to try and convince them that the contrary is the case. Colonel Flick, apparently, did not read my statement, as I referred to non-fur track work specially, and he quotes letters without giving dates referring to clerical positions and work for the makers. Railway companies have had to beg men from Monday during the past few weeks owing to difficulty in securing track labor in Western Canada.

D. C. COLEMAN.

Eagle River, Ont., September 8, 1921.

Farmers' Protest

Sir,—At a recent meeting of the United Farmers' North British Local the following resolution was adopted, and I have been instructed to forward you a copy. Kindly publish in the next issue of your paper:

Resolved: That this North British Local, United Farmers of British Columbia, places itself on record as opposed to the sentiments expressed by certain gentlemen, supposed to represent the farmers of Vancouver Island, at a meeting held in the Provincial Parliament Building recently, especially with reference to the language used by certain of those present re returned men. As many who were farmers went overseas and upon returning home resumed labor on their farms, we think it is out of place in a British Dominion to express such sentiments.

With further reference to the question of farm labor, we are of the opinion that if farm laborers were treated better in the matter of lodgings and food, and not exposed to the conditions in many places, to work with Chinamen, there would be no dearth of farm labor.

Further resolved, that we are of the opinion that this so-called farmers' meeting does not reflect on the feeling of the majority of the farmers of the Island in this matter.

We are also of the opinion that the Gye Club does not represent any of the farmers of this Island, and should not be allowed to meet with any representatives of the farmers.

WM. CHAS. CLARKE.
Sec. Treas., R.M. District 1, Sidney, B.C., September 8, 1921.

SEEK REGISTRATION WEEKS TOO EARLY

Municipal Voters' List Not Open Until October 1—Election Is Month Earlier, But Not Enrollment

City Clerk E. W. Bradley has been refusing registration to city voters during the last few days. He has turned them all away with the information that they cannot register until October.

"The impression seems to have got around that we are registering voters earlier than this year," said Mr. Bradley yesterday. "People have come in to register, and when I tell them that it is too early they seem to think I am just fooling. The registration month has always been October, and the same regulations prevail this year."

Registration opens October 1 and closes October 31. There are 10,223 names on this year's municipal voters' list. Householders whose names are on the list and who have paid the road tax and licenses, need not register again, Mr. Bradley states.

Election day this year is about a month earlier than usual. It will be Wednesday, December 14, instead of during the second week of January, as previously.

The first five aldermen elected will go in for two years. One feature of the election which is being cheerfully anticipated by officials is that it will not be held this year on the proportional representation basis.

NOT A CANDIDATE—ALD. TODD STATES

Alderman A. E. Todd last night nailed two rumors.

"It has been stated that I may run as a candidate for the Federal election," said the alderman. "There has also been some talk about the likelihood of my running for Mayor. I want to say quite definitely that I will not enter the Federal contest and I have not the slightest idea of running for Mayor."

RESOLUTION

There's no impossibility to him

Who makes resolve to conquer every foe.

And though his progress may at times be slow.

Combating adversaries stern and grim.

Each effort made will add new strength of him.

What though the whirlwind crash may lay him low.

With courage new he'll rise and onward go.

In proof that his resolve was not a whim.

These press this watchword to thy doubting heart.

"I can, I will," therein thy power lies

To make thine enemy thy advocate.

To marshal and control the busy mart;

To coax the vivid lightning from the skies.

And thus become the master of thy fate.

—Charles W. Searf.

DECIDES AGAINST PROPOSAL MADE BY MR. DOHERTY

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peace to solve the economic problems of the world."

The diversion of twenty per cent of the Government's efforts to armaments is the reason for high prices, he declared. He introduced a resolution providing for an immediate definition of the mandates of the A and B classes, and shouted:

"Nations are going on building armaments with which to tear one another to pieces, and in so doing they are tearing themselves to pieces."

This assertion was greeted by a loud outburst of applause.

Position of U.S.

That the President of the United States cannot alone, under the constitution, bind the Government on a question of mandate, is brought out briefly in one of the paragraphs of the last note from that country on mandates, copies of which are circulating among the delegates of the assembly. The note is dated August 8. The note begins with a statement of the general United States position. Mandates respecting the former German colonies, it says, were only made possible by the victory of the principal and Associated Powers, of which the United States was one.

The United States Government, although it did not take part in the war against Turkey, affirms the right to have a voice equal to that of any other power in deciding the mandates over former Turkish possessions such as Syria, Lebanon, Mesopotamia and Palestine, because the distribution of these mandates was made possible only through the victory over Germany, in which the United States shared.

Equal Opportunities

The note, in a firm and clear manner requires equal opportunities for considerable and commerce, not only for all citizens of non-mandatory powers, but also the fullest equality with the nationals of mandatory powers both of A and B mandates.

The note stipulates that no mandate shall be agreed to without the approval of the United States Government, and that no mandate, after its approval, shall be changed without the consent of that Government. It was requested in the note that wherever in mandates it is mentioned that "members of the League of Nations," a phrase shall be substituted referring to countries mentioned in Annex Two of the Treaty of Versailles, among which is the United States.

International Court

Electing for the eleven judges to the International Court, created by the League of Nations, already has begun and is developing considerable ardor. This is particularly true among South American delegations, which, basing their claims on their numerical strength in the League, are asking for four judges.

The four principal Powers—Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan—were conceded one each by election fore-casters.

It is generally conceded that one of them will come from the United States and one from Holland. League leaders aim to give all-round representation to the nations of the world, giving one seat to Scandinavia, one to the Slav countries, one to the British Dominions and one to German-speaking countries. This leaves only one for South America.

The method of election is now being studied, and probably will be public. The Assembly and Council, it is understood, will hold elections consecutively, after which the lists chosen by each body will be compared.

HIGHWAY BILL IS GIVEN APPROVAL

Canadian Highway Association Endorses Proposed Legislation for \$20,000,000 Dominion Roads Grant

The executive committee of the Canadian Highway Association met yesterday afternoon and adopted the proposed draft of a Federal bill appropriate \$20,000,000 for a coast to coast road.

The terms of the suggested legislation are that the appropriation be divided among the various Provinces of the Dominion from Nova Scotia to British Columbia, according to the mileage of road to be built in connecting up various links of the Canadian Highway. The bill was prepared here.

WOULD CUT PAY OF MUNICIPAL WORKERS

Councillor Kingwell Brings Resolution Before Saanich Council, Calling for Reductions—Matter Is Laid Over

A resolution calling for a general reduction in the remuneration of municipal employees was introduced at the Saanich Council meeting last evening by Councillor Kingwell. The Mayor ruled that a motion that the question of salaries and wages be reopened would be necessary before the resolution could be given consideration. Fearing the late hour it was agreed to adjourn until Tuesday evening when the matter will be considered.

Councillor Kingwell's resolution called for the following reductions: Of 15 per cent in all municipal salaries of \$200 per month and up; 10 per cent in all municipal salaries of \$115 per month and up; 5 per cent in all municipal salaries of \$85 per month and up. Road foremen to be paid straight salary of \$100. Waterworks foreman to be paid straight salary of \$100. Street sweeper to be paid straight salary of \$100. Firemen to be paid straight salary of \$125. Engineer for steam roller to be paid \$50 per day. Tractor driver to be paid \$45 per day.

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PREMIER MASSEY TO SPEAK HERE

Head of New Zealand Government Will Address Canadian Club Tomorrow—Returning From Imperial Conference

Right Hon. William F. Massey, Prime Minister of New Zealand, now on his way back from the Imperial Conference, will address a luncheon of the Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel tomorrow at noon. Mr. Massey arrived in Vancouver Wednesday and will address the Canadian Club there today. He is accompanied by Mrs. and Miss Massey, Mr. T. H. Drew, and Mr. F. T. Thompson, his secretary. The steamship Niagara, on which

Mr. Massey will return to New Zealand, will be detained here long enough to enable Mr. Massey to keep his engagement with the Canadian Club.

Partly because of the deep impression made by Mr. Massey when he spoke here two years ago with Sir Joseph Ward, and partly because of the fact that he proved one of the most prominent and influential figures at the Imperial Conference, Mr. Massey's address here is being keenly anticipated.

Members of the Women's Canadian Club will be admitted to hear the address at 12.30.

Firemen Amiable Hosts—The success which attended the first of the Winter series of dances given by the Victoria Firemen's Recreation Club last night augurs well for the functions which are to follow. Hunt's orchestra supplied a spirited programme of dance selections which was enjoyed to the full extent by the many guests. The committee in charge of the dance consisted of Messrs. Tall, Barber, H. Lynne, Capt. Raymond and Assistant Chief Munroe.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The British Colonist of September 9, 1871)

Diamond News—The Cape papers speak with news of rich finds at the diggings. A Durbanman was fortunate enough to unearth a diamond of 30 carats at Durban on June 21. The lucky finder left the camp the next day. We extend the following from the Diamond Field of June 22: Whilst Mr. Williams, of Graham, was fishing the other day he hooked a fish of about one and one-half pounds weight, which on being opened, was found to contain a beautiful gem of one and one-half carats, which he sold for twenty pounds. We may be sure that Mr. Williams considered it the richest fish he had ever taken, and also that the number of Isaac Walton's disciples will increase considerably on the banks of the Vaal. The 35 carat gem discovered by a Boer at Driefontein a few days since is said to have had a piece of about 30 carats broken off by the pick, which piece has since been recovered. The 35 carat gem was sold by the Boer for \$10,000 and was immediately afterwards valued at \$10,000.

A baseball bat will sustain three times as much weight as a steel rod of the same weight.

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LOOTERS ARE ACTIVE AT ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N.S. Sept. 8.—Looters who operated today, despite the efforts of the local police to prevent them, caused further losses to sufferers who had succeeded in removing parts of their household goods to places of apparent safety during the fire which destroyed a large section of this town last night. The fires were smouldering today, and danger of another outbreak was feared. Fortunately, the day was calm.

It was estimated that it will cost \$300,000 to replace buildings destroyed, and McCallum Grant, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, has issued an appeal for help for the homeless townspeople.

A special meeting of the town council was called today and efforts are being made to rush fire-fighting apparatus from Yarmouth, owing to the danger of a fresh outbreak.

How to Eat Iron

Your body needs iron, but you can only get it from the food you eat—not from tonics or ten-penny nails. That is Nature's plan. Of all the minerals the body needs iron is the most important. Try this iron-food for breakfast:

Shredded Wheat

Biscuit with Stewed Raisins. Heat two Biscuits in the oven to restore their crispness and cover with stewed raisins and milk. It supplies all the iron you need and all the food you need in digestible form—a food that puts you on your toes for the day's work.

TRISCUIT is the Shredded Wheat cracker. A crisp, whole wheat toast eaten with butter or soft cheese.

MR. F. J. GILLESPIE PUTS IN RESIGNATION

Government Commissioner in Charge of Financial Affairs of South Vancouver Wants Increased Remuneration

On the ground that his present remuneration is not sufficient, Mr. F. J. Gillespie, for the past four or five years Commissioner in charge of the affairs of the Municipality of South Vancouver, has tendered his resignation to the Government. While the resignation has been in the hands of the Government for the past week, it has not as yet been accepted. Premier Oliver stated yesterday that Mr. Gillespie was appointed by the present Government following the loan by the Government to the Municipality of South Vancouver of \$1,000,000, whereby it was straightened out financially in that district. As a guarantee that the money would be expended under the supervision of and for the financial affairs of the Municipality, the Government directed that the Commissioner pending the time when the Municipality should have repaid the loan Mr. Gillespie was named; and during his term of office, the affairs of South Vancouver have been straightened out and the position of that Municipality improved, though the Commissioner's position has often been the subject of keen criticism at the hands of an organization there styled the Ratepayers' Association, from which at a recent session of the legislature there was introduced a lengthy petition asking for the removal of the Commissioner and the restoration to the people there of the right of the franchise in selecting their municipal council.

Commissioner Gillespie's present remuneration is \$4,500 per year, and it is stated he asks for more in view of the large amount of work that has been cast upon him consequent upon the administration of the unemployment situation in the Municipality.

No intimation whether Mr. Gillespie's resignation will be accepted, and if so, who will be his successor, was forthcoming from the Government yesterday.

CHURCH FORTUNATE TO GET DR. WILSON

Rev. Principal McKay Writes From Winnipeg to Congratulate First Presbyterian Church on Selection

Rev. Principal McKay, of Manitoba College, formerly Principal of Westminster Hall, Vancouver, who was commissioned by the Presbytery of Victoria to represent it before the Presbytery of Moose Jaw in the matter of the call of First Presbyterian Church, Victoria, to the Rev. W. G. Wilson, M.A., minister of St. Andrew's Church, Moose Jaw, has written to a member of First Church congregation here who should be extremely gratifying to the settlement committee to which was assigned the task of selecting a successor to Rev. J. C. Wilson.

"I am writing this letter to give you some idea of how fortunate you are, as a congregation, in securing a man of the calibre of Mr. Wilson," writes Dr. McKay.

"As you know, I was one of the first to suggest his name, but I had no idea then how much it would mean to your church. The call of Mr. Wilson is one of the finest in every way, if not the finest in all Canada. It has a membership of fourteen hundred active and regular people. He had an assistant who took two out of every five services and had general charge of young people's work. He also had a deaconess for visiting and other phases of parish work.

"I never heard in any presbytery such absolute unanimity and devotion for a minister as was shown by Mr. Wilson's people. Addresses were delivered by a judge, three lawyers, the superintendent of education and a number of prominent men, all expressing in the very highest terms appreciation of Mr. Wilson's splendid services and the high place he and Mrs. Wilson held in their affection. It is a very serious wrench for a man to leave such a loyal and affectionate people to take up another field, and nothing but the greatest loyalty and sincere affection of the people of First Church can repay Mr. and Mrs. Wilson for the sacrifice they are making.

"I am glad for the sake of First Church and the Synod of British Columbia that Mr. Wilson is coming to you, and wish the church and its leaders their best days.

"Mr. Wilson's induction will take place on Friday, October 7, and he will occupy the pulpit at the First Presbyterian Church for the first time on Sunday, October 9. Further information will be given later re the public reception which will be tendered the new incumbent.

AWARDED DAMAGES

Jury Grants \$2,907.50 to Mrs. Marie Simpson Against the G. T. P. Steamship Company

A verdict for damages amounting to \$2,907.50 was awarded by the special jury in the Supreme Court before which, during the past two days, was heard the action of Mrs. Marie Simpson against the G. T. P. Steamship Company for \$3,000 damages for injuries sustained by falling through a hole in the wharf of the company at Newari, B.C. Mr. Justice Macdonald presided at the trial.

The jury's verdict, rendered after an hour's consideration, found the steamship company guilty of negligence in allowing the plaintiff to land on the wharf which was known to be dangerous, and held that the plaintiff was not guilty of contributory negligence. The judgment carried costs.

Mr. H. W. R. Moore and Mr. W. R. Monkleth appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Arthur Bull, of Vancouver, for the defendant company.

Mrs. Simpson, for years a prominent barrister practicing at Nanaimo

NEW COAL COMPANY

Mr. Joshua Kingham Heads Local Concern Just Incorporated—Other New Companies

The J. Kingham Coal & Dock Company, Limited, of which Mr. Joshua Kingham is the leading shareholder, has been incorporated according to announcement in the current number of the Provincial Gazette. The company has an authorized capital of \$50,000 and its head office will be in Victoria. It will carry on the business of wholesale dealers in and vendors of coal, wood and other fuel products and general storage, warehousing, shipping and forwarding agents.

Other new companies incorporated to carry on business in the Province are: Mutual Company, Limited, \$10,000, Vancouver; Yellow Tail of Vancouver, Limited, \$500,000, Vancouver; Lower California Copper Co., Limited, \$250,000, Vancouver; Canadian Producers' Corporation, Limited, \$1,000,000, Vancouver; Oil Well Supply Company, Limited, \$100,000, Vancouver; British Continental Exploration Company, Limited, \$250,000, Vancouver; Iverson Butler Shingle Company, Limited, \$10,000, Vancouver; The Weaver Millburn Oil Company, Limited, \$250,000, New Westminster; McBride Railway Club, Limited, \$2,000, Nanaimo, B.C.; Vanderhoof Club, \$10,000, Vanderhoof, B.C.; A. E. Humphries Motors, Limited, \$50,000, Victoria.

The Nanaimo Civic and Athletic Association, The Cowichan Golf Club and The Consolidated Employees' Benevolent Society, of Trail, have been incorporated under the Societies Act.

LOCAL PRODUCTS TO BE SHOWN AT FAIR

Only Three Spaces Remain in Special Building Devoted to Victoria Industry—Mr. Geo. I. Warren in Charge

Only three spaces remain untaken in the Home Products Building at the Fair grounds.

Mr. George I. Warren, who has successfully managed several home products fairs here in the past, has charge of the building at this year's exhibition. In discussing yesterday, the rapidly with which space had been snapped up, he stated that the number of new industries surprised him. The firm which took the greatest space was the luxury Upholstering Company, a new concern.

The whole upper floor of the building has been taken by the Victoria School Board and will be devoted to a school exhibit.

Beatty's orchestra will be in attendance at the building, giving concerts there every afternoon and evening.

ALD. ATKEN READY TO KILL PROPOSALS

But He Doubts Whether His Influence Will Have Effect of Quashing Municipal Reform—Wants Commission

Ald. A. M. Atken, back in Victoria again after a trip to Winnipeg, declared himself ready yesterday to do his part in killing the recommendations of the special municipal reform committee when they come before the Council Monday night.

The recommendations, sponsored by Ald. A. E. Todd, Ald. E. S. Woodward and a number of members of the committee, include proposals for a two-year aldermanic term with salary of \$100 a month, \$6,000 a year salary for the Mayor, elimination of School Board and Police Commission, and subordination of these bodies as committees of the City Council.

Ald. Atken is more opposed to the abolition of the School Board than anything else, but he also objects in a general way to the other suggestions and declares that the only reform that will satisfy him is elimination of the City Council and substitution of commission form of government.

"Mr. Morley has the right idea," asserted the alderman. "He says a commission will give Victoria satisfactory municipal government, and nothing else. That is my opinion, too. I'm sorry I cannot talk before the Chamber of Commerce, because they tell me it was great stuff."

Ald. Atken served two terms on the School Board, and he was there long enough to recognize its usefulness and to respect it. He fails to see that it would help matters any to have the schools under the control of the present City Council. In fact he is somewhat disgusted with the Council as at present constituted; not only with its form, but with its personnel.

"If they have the same crowd in again next year, I doubt whether I will bother running for reelection," said the alderman, who at the same time laughed away the rumor that he proposed to run as a mayoralty candidate in the next municipal election.

The election, however, is three months away. Ald. Atken intends to concentrate for the time being on defeat of the reform recommendations. "I may not be able to knock them out with my own efforts," he declared.

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY WAS IN SESSION

Christian Education and World Evangelization Discussed at Grace Lutheran Church Yesterday

Christian Education and World Evangelization was the topic of discussion yesterday afternoon at the regular monthly meeting of the missionary societies of the Grace Lutheran Church. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. P. E. Baisler, and Mrs. William Mead discussed on the matter of Christian education in the home, church and higher educational institutions. Following the address papers were read by Mrs. Kenneth Miller and Mrs. Ingles.

The Rev. P. E. Baisler spoke during the meeting on Higher Christian Education, and the affair was brought to a close by a very pleasant musical programme, with Mrs. Huffman as soloist, and several numbers being given by Miss Grace Thompson and Edwina Baisler. Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed before the members dispersed.

Sir Robert Borden Director
OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—Sir Robert Borden has been elected a member of the board of directors of the British-American Nickel Corporation, Ottawa.

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Another Large String of Thoroughbreds Arrived Yesterday—All Cracks to Run Next Week

Another big string of thoroughbreds arrived at the Willows yesterday in readiness for the races which start on September 17. Horses from the stables of Lott, Lloyd and Barnes, C. W. (Windy) Ross, George Wentworth, E. A. Roberts, Daniels, Charlie Bennett, who has thirteen of his Calgary horses here, pick Ripley, W. Leeds, Manale, Toppensish, C. A. Matthews and Fredin and Christie, came across from the Mainland yesterday, and more are on the way. Although this will be the last week's racing of the B.C. Coast season, turfgoers will be pleased to know that the pick of the thoroughbreds will be here. Herb Fullerton is determined to give Victorians a fine week's sport, and is making a special effort to insure the success of the last meet here.

Local help will be craved whenever possible in connection with the races, and local patrons may be assured that everything possible will be done to make the racing of the splendid thoroughbreds which they showed during the August week.

Next, the clever young jockey who made so many friends by his fine riding here last week, will ride at the coming meet as a free lance.

CITY LOSES LEAD AS HIDE MARKET

Mr. W. E. Nachtrieb Tells Rotarians—Freight Rates and Shipping Rules Killed Trade—Shingle Business

British Columbia hides are of a quality that cannot be surpassed, but Victoria has lost the big business of the hide market. The hide business is held as the hide shipping centre of the Province, Mr. W. E. Nachtrieb, manager of Binsinger & Company, told the Rotary Club at its luncheon in the Empress Hotel yesterday. Mr. P. E. McCarter, of the McCarter Shingle Mills, and H. Laurie Edwards, of the Canadian Fairbanks-Morse, also spoke.

"The hide business is ages old, and references to it crop up in the most ancient history," said Mr. Nachtrieb. "British Columbia hides have always been highly commended, and it is impossible to beat them after being oak tanned or treated with chestnut bark."

"Victoria was for many years a marketing centre for hides. The cost of freight to the Mainland and the refusal of San Francisco steamers to land hides here resulted in taking away the big business we used to enjoy. There was a time when hides came here for treatment from as far away as the Yukon, the Kootenay country and Alberta. That time is past."

People wishing to use shingles should use the same discrimination in purchasing as they would in other buying. Mr. McCarter stated, "You ought to shop for styles in house-hold furniture and personal apparel. The reason is that every kind of shingle has a definite purpose and use. Many people have used too thin shingles and dissatisfaction has resulted."

Last year's output of shingles in British Columbia was two billion, valued at \$12,000,000, according to Mr. McCarter. There were enough to fill 7,000 cars. Eight per cent of production went to the United States, and Mr. McCarter pointed out that due to the superior quality of edge grain stuff British Columbia shingles brought a better price than the American pack.

"I know of no commodity in this Province that is so speculative as shingles," said Mr. McCarter. "Ten days ago low grade shingles could be purchased at \$1.85 a thousand. Now they are \$2.50. I know of one broker who bought 100 carloads at the low price. Without touching the stock he cleaned up a profit of about \$12,000 within a week."

Mr. Edwards told of the growth of the Canadian Fairbanks-Morse Company, dealing in steel goods, engines and machinery of various kinds. He said that during the war the company had been so busy here that it had been impossible to get to new and much-needed quarters, but it had since purchased the Lee Building. Altogether the concern's investment here totalled about \$125,000, and most of it had been made at a time when pessimists were in the vanguard.

WILL SELL LANDS AT UPSET PRICE

Sanath Council to Try and Get Rid of Land Not Sold at Recent Tax Sale

"I think it's good business to sell as much of this stuff as we can. We're going to need all the funds we can lay our hands on," said Ross Watson to the Sanath Council last evening in advocating that property which failed to sell at the recent tax sale will be disposed of at the upset price. The council agreed to this. The property bought in by the municipality amounted to \$7,000.07.

A number of matters arising out of tax sale were dealt with by the council. A cheque for the 1921 taxes was received by the council from a soldier in India who owned garden City property which had reverted to the municipality through non-payment of taxes. The period during which redemption was possible expired some days ago. The soldier will be informed that the municipality will sell the property back to him for the taxes and costs.

Another property owner wrote stating that he had mailed a cheque in good time to the Municipal Hall, but it had not arrived until after his land had been sold at tax sale. The council decided to inform him that he could redeem the property in the ordinary way.

OBITUARY NOTICES

CHAMBERS—The death occurred, accidentally on Wednesday afternoon on Wilkinson Road, of George Chambers, husband of Mrs. Rachael Craig Chambers. The deceased was born in Ingersoll, Ontario, and has been a resident of this city for the past six years. He is survived by his widow, five sons, Edward in Pentticon, George in Vancouver, B.C., James and John in this city; also four daughters, Mrs. Barbara Keenon, of Nanaimo, Mrs. A. Ledingham, of Winnipeg, Mrs. Davis, of Vancouver, and Miss Eva Chambers at home. The remains are resting at the Sands Funeral Chapel. Funeral notice later.

MONTHLY MEETING OF ORPHANS' HOME

Kiddies at Local Institution Royally Entertained During August—Home in Fine Condition—Donations

The regular monthly meeting of the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home took place on Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. McTavish, the president, in the chair. The members present included: Mesdames Poweroff, Heard, Cameron Hlaocks, Andrews, Bradshaw, Spencer, Sea and Miss Newbery. The House Committee reported the institution spotlessly clean and in every way satisfactory, there being three children taken from the Home, while five were admitted during the month.

The inmates of the Home were generously entertained by outsiders, and their acts of kindness have been greatly appreciated by the ladies in charge. On August 3, the Recreation Club took the children to Cordova Bay and treated them to candy, ice cream and cake. Mr. W. Dee and Mr. A. Harris looked after the tea arrangements, while Mrs. Martin, of Cordova Bay, kindly gave each of the 58 children an ice cream cone.

Through the kindness of Mr. J. North the kiddies were taken to Cheby, where citrus and given candy and oranges. Messrs. Cameron and Caldwell conveyed the party to and from the circus grounds.

Entertained by Rotarians
On August 18 the Rotary Club entertained sixteen inmates of the Orphans' Home at a picnic at Cordova Bay. Tallyhoes were secured by Mr. Adams to take the children to the picnic, where they were given an abundance of candy, ice cream and lemonade.

Mr. Herbert E. Dendoff, who had been an inmate of the Home, with his two brothers, twenty-one years ago when under the marriage of Mrs. McGregor, who had been a resident of the Home, and brought his eleven-year-old daughter to see his former home. They had quite a time together in the playground, where Mr. Dendoff, seated under a tree, listened to the children's story.

Miss Kelly, member of the committee, sent in her resignation, which was accepted with much regret, availing herself of the opportunity to do the fine work which she had done for the institution.

A letter from Mr. D. Davies, offering sincere thanks and appreciation for the care and attention taken in the three Davies children since August, 1911, was read to the meeting.

Contributors Thanked
The following donations are thankfully acknowledged: Mrs. McGregor, Mrs. Higgins, 10 dozen raisins; Mrs. Johnson, garments; Miss Munroe, sundries; Mr. Middleton, 2 dozen bananas; Victoria Summer School, cakes; Flounders, 100 pounds sugar; Victoria Chapter No. 17, Order of the Eastern Star, cake and sandwiches; Mrs. Lang, jam; Mrs. Vle, children's garments; Mrs. Crawford, milk; Mr. Smith, Mrs. Spencer, 3 dozens of ice cream and clothing; Mrs. Bayward, clothing; Mrs. A. F. Proctor, jam; Capt. C. Harris, box of apples; Mrs. Mitchell, of Point Grey, \$2 cash; Victoria Branch, Mrs. Lewis Hall, for professional services, and The Colonist and The Times.

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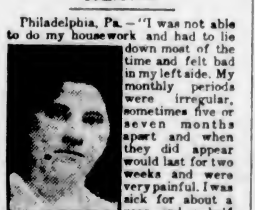
ASTORIA, Ore., Sept. 8.—Meagre reports picked up today by the naval radio station, and an accident occurred this morning on board the disabled British steamer Canadian Importer, which is being towed to Victoria by the tug Sea Lion. An engine room fire is said to have been badly burned.

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NO ADJOURNMENT OF SESSION, PREMIER SAYS

Provincial House Will Meet About November 1, Despite Announcement of Federal Contest

With reference to a Vancouver rumor to the effect that the Fall session of the Provincial Legislature will be called off in view of the announcement of an early Federal election contest, Premier Oliver stated yesterday that so far as he was aware there was no truth in it. The Premier stated that no change has been made in the Government's plan to hold the Fall sitting of the House, and that it would open on or about November 1, as already planned.

Political rumors, consequent upon the announcement of the Federal election, continue to circulate, and if one-half of the individuals whose names have been mentioned as those of likely candidates actually enter the field there will be a record number of aspirants for Ottawa honors. The latest report has it that friends of his in the Comox-Atlin district of this city, should consent to enter the fight as an independent Conservative. Mr. Fleming is widely and favorably known in that district, especially in the Island portion.

Following the Liberal celebration here yesterday on the occasion of the opening of the new Liberal headquarters, on which occasion Premier Oliver, members of the Provincial cabinet, and prominent party leaders will take the coming Dominion fight as a text for their stating of the Federal Government's policies, and thereby, in a sense, will open the campaign in Victoria. The Progressive Liberal Association, the recently organized organization within local Liberal ranks, will hold a meeting at which preparations for the contest will be discussed, and a candidate to whom the Association can throw its support will be tentatively selected. Report has it that the Association will be founded solidly behind Mr. William Irel at the convention at which the liberals of the city will name their standard bearer. Other Liberals whose names have been mentioned as likely candidates for nomination are Lieutenant-Colonel Winsby, member of the Liquor Control Board; Mr. Henry Hall, ex-M.P.P.; and Mr. Stone, the latter a prominent member of the C.N.W.A.

The date for that nominating convention has not been fixed and probably will not be until the date of the election is announced.

WISH TO AVOID MORE BLOODSHED

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objection raised by Mr. de Valera and goes back to the sole condition under which the original negotiations are understood to have taken place. The next step will be consideration of the letter by the Irish Executive Committee. A reply will then be drafted.

Acceptance Likely
Although republican leaders decline to discuss the matter, those in touch with them regard it as certain that they will accept the invitation to meet at Inverness. In such event, plenipotentiaries would be selected. Arthur Griffith, as foreign minister, would be one, while Michael Collins, commander of the Irish republican army and finance minister, is a possibility. Professor John MacNeill is considered a likely selection, as he is a member of Parliament for Kerry, within the area of the northern parliament. He is considered the best exponent of the attitude of the Ulster Nationalist minority.

Ulster's Position
BELFAST, Sept. 8.—Ulster virtually would be certain to be the subject of discussion at the Inverness conference, while the northern cabinet apparently would not be represented. Ulster's position was laid down in a letter written by Sir James Craig to Mr. Lloyd George, August 14, in which the Premier declared a meeting between himself and Mr. de Valera was impossible until Mr. de Valera recognized that the northern parliament would not submit to any other authority than that of the King and the Parliament of the United Kingdom. There does not seem to be the slightest intention here of receding from that stand.

Criticism is included in the Belfast comment of what is termed the British Cabinet's abandonment of the six essential in the British proposals. It is declared in some quarters that if Mr. de Valera remains firm he might bring about a conference absolutely without conditions.

Nationalist Advice
DUBLIN, Sept. 8.—The Freeman's Journal, in an editorial under the heading, "Coming to Inverness," says this morning:

"The British Cabinet's reply to Mr. de Valera is encouraging in many respects and falsifies the more pessimistic of the forecasts."

The newspaper considers that the door has been left wide open for further consideration of the situation, and that the form of the invitation to the Irish leaders gets rid of all the embarrassing conditions and limitations which fetter discussion.

"We strongly advise," it continues, "that the only method of settling the matter would be at an ordinary round-table conference."

C.P.R. Party at Winnipeg
WINNIPEG, Sept. 8.—President E. W. Beatty, of the C.P.R., reached the city tonight, and will remain till Saturday evening, when he will go west on his annual tour of inspection.

Some Moors Want Peace
MADRID, Sept. 8.—According to El Diario Universal, certain tribes in the Spanish region of Morocco, where there has been considerable fighting, have sued for peace.

Annapolis Royal's Affliction
ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N.S., Sept. 8.—A great black war in the heart of the beautiful little town market the place where a half million dollar conflagration raged yesterday. Danger of further outbreak of the flames is said to be past, but the ruins are still under close observation.

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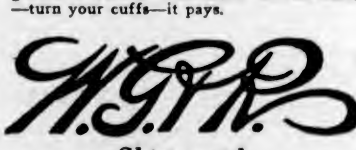
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The R. J. Gurney Co., Ltd., 1419 Douglas Street, have a complete stock of Fall Rubbers for ladies, men, boys and girls, also children. The prices are certainly right.

To High School scholars. We are making (ill September 19 a special price of \$1.25 each for the best pencil of the Everhard type. Victoria Book and Stationery Co., Limited.

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SIR ARTHUR CURRIE RETURNS FROM EUROPE

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—The C.P.O. S. Empress of Britain arrived from Liverpool last evening with 366 passengers. Among the passengers were General Sir Arthur Currie and family. Commenting on conditions in Europe, Sir Arthur said that in France and Belgium conditions were improving rapidly, but in England, he said, "the taxes are such a burden on the people that they retard the resumption of industrial activity and the return of normal times."

News of Vancouver Island

ISLAND REGATTA SCORES SUCCESS

Labor Day Event at Ganges Harbor Enjoyed by Salt Spring Residents and Many Visitors

SALT SPRING ISLAND, Sept. 7.—The third annual regatta took place last Monday at Ganges Harbor, and once again proved a success. Visitors came in launches from various parts of Salt Spring, many of them joining in the sports, and all enjoying the afternoon's fun, the rain only starting at the end of the day's proceedings. The committee this year for the regatta were: Messrs. C. McGillis, Elliot, Wm. Sutherland, J. S. Rogers, McAfee, A. J. Smith and I. Stacey. The judges were Capt. E. A. B. Richmond and Major Day. The following is a list of prize winners and prizes:

Launch race for launches under 25 feet (handicap)—1. Mr. G. Nelson, silver photo frame; 2. Mr. A. Elliot, silver napkin ring; 3. Mr. E. P. Speed, cut glass bonbon dish.

Rowing race for boys under 16—1. Gordon Best, pocket knife; 2. Vincent Best, purse.

Rowing race for girls under 16—1. G. Payne, silver handle; 2. Nora Johnson, blue bird brooch.

Rowing race for ladies—1. Miss D. Payne, hand painted vase; 2. Miss G. Wilkes, silver napkin ring.

Rowing race for men—1. Mr. John Payne, fountain pen; 2. Mr. Desmond Crofton, ink stand.

Overboard engine race—1. Mr. J. C. Russell, Big Ben clock; 2. Mr. Taylor, watch.

Swimming race for boys under 16—1. R. H. Dwyer, watch; 2. Alan Best, pocket knife.

Open swimming race for ladies—1. Miss C. Gray, lady's pruning shears; 2. Miss D. Payne, silver photo frame.

Open swimming race for men—1. Mr. Meacock, watch; 2. Mr. Reg. Price, pocket case.

Sea horse race—1. A. Best, style pen; 2. G. Dwyer, watch; 3. Miss D. Payne, hand painted vase; 4. Miss E. Gray, locket.

Diving competition—1. Mr. Meacock, pocket case; 2. Miss E. Gray, scarf pin.

Greasy pole for ladies—1. Miss D. Payne, book (Traveler by Kipling); 2. Miss E. Gray, scissors.

Greasy pole for men—1. Mr. John Payne, shaving mirror; 2. Mr. Robin Justice, pocket knife.

Mop fight in dingley—1. Messrs. P. Smith and S. Dwyer, silver photo frame and silver framed mirror.

Swimming race in fancy costume, for men—1. Mr. Meacock, framed picture.

Living competition for demolition of wine—Mr. R. Toynbee.

After the finish of the races the prizes were presented by Mr. H. E. Ridewood. To tell with regard to the funds, half of which goes to the Gulf Islands Hospital, Capt. A. C. Allen Williams and Mr. Wilfred Seymour ran an ice cream and fruit stall, by which they took over \$100.

The arrangements and management of the excellent tea provided by the members of the I.O.D.E., were in the hands of Mrs. W. H. Harvey and Mrs. Percy Deech, and by it they cleared \$40 for the Ganges Chapter funds.

Following the regatta a most successful and enjoyable dance, organized by Mrs. Frank E. Scott, took place at night in Mr. H. W. Bullock's house at Ganges, which he kindly lent for the occasion. About fifty to sixty guests were present. Dancing started at nine p.m. and continued till 2:30 a.m. Mr. P. Louthier and several others helping with the music.

In the dining-room a delightful supper was served to the guests at any time during the evening. The table decorations were of pink water. A room was devoted entirely to bridge, while other rooms and the veranda were turned into attractive sitting out places for the dancers.

Amongst those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scott, Miss Scott, Mr. and Mrs. N. Wilson, and Mrs. Frank Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Scott, Miss Beryl Scott, Mrs. Day, Major and Mrs. Day, Mr. and Mrs. F. Speed, Capt. and Mrs. Richmond, Mrs. Best, Mrs. P. Cartwright, Mrs. Cecil Ley, Rev. Geo. Aitken, Miss Aitken, Miss D. Aitken, Mr. Edward French, Mr. J. D. Haller, Mr. and Mrs. C. Springfield, Miss Harris, Capt. Mitchell, Mr. Monte Bridgman, Miss Dorothy Dunn, Miss Layard and several others.

PORT RENFREW NEWS

PORT RENFREW, Sept. 7.—At a well-attended meeting in the hall at Port Renfrew on August 27, by Rev. F. Elliott in the chair, it was unanimously agreed upon to send a deputation to the Good Roads Association convention at Alberni. After a collection had been made to pay expenses, a ballot of members selected Mr. W. Robinson and T. M. Baird to attend the meeting.

It was unanimously carried by a vote that the Jordan River Road, which has been advocated for the last twenty years, and repeatedly promised by the local Government, was the only safe road to get connections with the outer world. It was pointed out that the other road, which has been suggested as a cheaper route, for about five months in the year would be impassable on account of the snow, and could with advantage be postponed to some future time, when a circular motor road could be completed. As it is now, all that is asked for is a wagon road to get out in case of emergency or shipwreck. Three thousand dollars a mile is all that is asked for, and it is considered a good road could be built for that sum. It has already been surveyed, and is mostly on the level, requiring only a few expensive bridges across the bays. As it is now, the difficulty may be recovered in a few years. When salmon were being caught by boats taking ten thousand in a night, and sending them the other side of the line, it did not seem long to clean out one of the best salmon holes in British Columbia.

SALT SPRING NOTES

SALT SPRING ISLAND, Sept. 7.—Mrs. Aitken left for Vancouver on Monday when she will proceed to Kelowna to visit her son, Mr. O. St. J. Aitken, for a week or two.

Mr. J. T. Dwyer, of Vancouver, accompanied by his two daughters, Mrs. Nicholls, of Prince Rupert, and Mrs. Dwyer, arrived on the island on Tuesday, and are the guests of Mr. H. W. Bullock, of Ganges, for a few days.

Mr. W. C. Scott, of Ganges, left for Victoria on Tuesday, where he will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Innes for a day or two.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Ridewood, of Victoria, returned home on Monday night, after spending the week-end on the island, guests at Harbor House.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Layton, of Victoria, have been visiting the island for the day and were guests at Harbor House.

Mr. Fred Dorchester, of Princess Elizabeth, England, left for Victoria on Tuesday, after a week's visit to the island, and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Harris, of Ganges.

Mrs. Arthur Elliot, of Ganges, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Norris, of Cobble Hill, for a week or two.

Mr. Bernard Stanford, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chaplin, of Venus Bay for a few days, returned to Ganges, where he is the guest again of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crofton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brown, of Vancouver, spent last week-end on the island, guests at Harbor House.

Mr. Pascal de Noe Walker, of Victoria, has been camping on the Peninsula at Ganges for the last week or two.

Miss Decker, of Hongkong, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilson, of Wellbrough Bay, for a week or two.

Mr. Hodge, of North Salt Spring, who has been here for some years, is visiting the North Venus Bay School, left on Sunday to take up the same position at the school on Thetis.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. Guy Jones on the birth of a son on Tuesday.

Messrs. Harriot and Desmond Crofton returned from Sidney on Sunday night, and are spending the week-end at Harbor House.

Which they recently purchased at James Island.

Last week while Mr. Reid Bittan-court, of Ganges, customs house officer, was shut in the cabin of the launch recently captured by him at Ganges, and being towed by the Winnamac to Victoria, the launch upset on the rocks near Ten Mile Point.

Mr. Len Bittan-court, who was running the Winnamac at the time, seeing what had happened, stopped, and luckily the launch managed to right itself. Mr. Bittan-court has been laid up at his home in Ganges for a day or two, but is now gradually getting all right.

The Salt Spring Island Tennis Club has laid out a new tennis court, to be held in the Mahon Hall, Ganges, on Friday, September 23. Part of Heaton's orchestra from Victoria will provide the music.

NANAIMO NEWS NOTES

NANAIMO, Sept. 8.—The Progressive Whist Drive held by the Foresters Tuesday evening in the Foresters' Hall, attracted a large crowd. The winners were as follows: Ladies, 1st, Mrs. Hinchman; 2nd, Mrs. Little; 3rd, Mrs. McMillan. Gents, 1st, A. H. Johnston; 2nd, R. G. Johnston; 3rd, Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. J. F. de Macedo, M.A., who spent last night in Prince Rupert, returned to the College de Normandie has returned to his old position on the staff of the Nanaimo High School.

Mr. and Mrs. John LeFevre, of Victoria, are spending a few days in Nanaimo, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins, Finlayson Street.

Mrs. D. Stobart left for Vancouver today on a visit to friends, and to meet Mr. Stobart on his return from St. Louis.

Mrs. John Waugh, accompanied by her daughter Elizabeth and Elsie, returned last night from a fine Washington, where they attended the dedication of the Peace Arch.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harrison, of Rosedale Avenue, Towson, mourn the loss of their young son, James Miller Harrison, aged 10 years, who passed away in the Nanaimo Hospital at an early hour Wednesday morning. Death, it is believed, being due to acute appendicitis. The little fellow being taken ill Tuesday. The funeral will take place from the family residence Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Lester officiating. Funeral arrangements are in the hands of Mr. H. McAdie.

The local High School reopened Tuesday for the Fall term with an enrollment of 160 pupils. The largest number of scholars in the history of the institution, pupils being in attendance from points on the island as far north as Courtenay. The large number of new pupils has necessitated the opening of a fifth room, and pending the completion of the new High School Building on Westworth Street, a temporary classroom is to be fitted up in the Athletic Club Building.

LADYSMITH SCHOOL SHOWS GREAT GROWTH

Total Registration at Central Institution Now Numbering 446—List of Teachers Appointed

LADYSMITH, Sept. 7.—Tuesday was a busy day at the Central Public School, the pupils resuming their studies after the Summer holidays, and many entering school for the first time. The enrollment was exceptionally large this year, over seventy pupils registering with Principal Martin, making a total enrollment of 440. This is the largest roll-call for several years and a very successful year is anticipated.

The following teachers are on the staff for the coming term. Principal H. Martin, B. E. Snider, Miss Gerhart, Miss M. Dunlop, Miss E. Reid, Miss Weir, Miss Thomson, Miss Gordon, Miss S. Baid, Miss Hill. The manual training department will be in charge of Mr. W. J. Lester, who has successfully conducted the classes for the past two years.

Considerable time was spent on Tuesday morning with the various classes in dealing with the peace memorial dedicated that morning at Blaine, celebrating one hundred years of peace between Canada and the United States. Appropriate talks were given to the children, who showed their appreciation of the sentiments expressed in a marked degree.

LADYSMITH NOTES

LADYSMITH, Sept. 7.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Charles Askelson, who died on Tuesday morning after a prolonged illness, will be held on Thursday afternoon. The deceased was well known in the city and was recently years of age. The funeral arrangements are in the hands of Mr. H. J. Jenkins, of Nanaimo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Haworth have returned to the city from an extended auto trip to California. While South they visited many old residents of Ladysmith who were glad to meet with friends from the city. Among the acquaintances they made were ex-mayor Nimmo, and family. Mr. Nimmo is in partnership with a contractor and speaks well of the building trade in Long Beach, where he is a resident.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the General Hospital was held on Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. M. Matheson. There was a large attendance and the first business was the election of a president in place of Mrs. Campbell, who resigned. The choice fell unanimously on the vice-president, Mrs. Inkster, who then took charge of the meeting. After considerable business had been conducted it was decided to hold a dance on the night of Halloween, the proceeds to go to the redecoration of the operating room at the hospital. It is expected that the dance will be one of the best of the season. After all business was concluded refreshments were served by the hostess, who fulfilled her duties in her usual fine manner.

METCHOSIN W.I. MEETS

METCHOSIN, Sept. 7.—The Metchosin Women's Institute held its regular monthly meeting today at Metchosin Hall. Final arrangements were made for the exhibition to be held in Metchosin Hall on Thursday, Sept. 15, from 2 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon. All kinds of women's work will be on exhibition, including a spinning and knitting demonstration, and other interesting exhibits, such as home interior decoration and taxidermy work. It is followed in the evening by an entertainment, which will include the ever interesting folk dancing, and to which a charge for admission will be made. There will be no charge for admission to the afternoon. Cooking demonstrations will be given for the members in the near future, including the making and use of a fireless cooker.

The roll-call on the question "which law in British Columbia would you like changed?" called forth some very interesting facts and ideas and resulted in a lively discussion on British Columbia law.

CHEMAINUS PERSONALS

Mrs. Martin Casswell was a charming hostess on two occasions last week. On Tuesday evening she entertained with two tables of bridge, the guests being Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ankett-Jones, Mrs. Turner, Mr. Douglas Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Croyer and Mr. and Mrs. Casswell. A delicious little supper was served and a most enjoyable evening was spent. On Wednesday evening a very jolly young folk party took place. The guests were Miss Elliott, Miss Gravelly, Mrs. Cyril Cunningham, Mr. Val Rivett, Carnac, Mr. and Mrs. Casswell, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Rivett-Carnac. Various games were played and the evening passed most pleasantly.

There was a general exodus of Indians last week, all going to the hop fields in the I. S. A. Chemainus, and pending the start on Monday last.

Chemainus was almost deserted on Labor Day, the fine weather causing a great many residents to go picnicking to the neighboring islands. Many others went to dance at Victoria. Quite a heavy rain started late in the afternoon and continued all the evening making the home coming very unpleasant.

Chemainus for its size has quite a large telephone exchange, having 81 phones. Four have recently been added, and in connection with this a wonderfully skillful piece of work has been done by the lineman, Mr. H. Dobson, that of carrying the wire across Fullers Lake at a height of 20 ft. above the water.

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Mr. Jack Long spent a day or two in Seattle on business last week. Mrs. Elliott-Carnac and Mr. Val Rivett-Carnac spent the holidays in Victoria.

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Brown Beaverine, 4 inches wide, \$7.50 a yard.

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Grey Squirrel Skins, \$2.00 each.
French Coney Skins, \$3.50 each.
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Mrs. J. D. Long, who has been visiting her sister in Vancouver, returned home much benefited by the change.

Miss Mollie Rivett-Carnac, who spent a very enjoyable week visiting friends in Victoria, has returned home and has resumed her duties at the postoffice.

Master Buster Jacobson, who spent his school vacation visiting his grandmother (Mrs. Morgan) in Seattle, has returned home.

Miss Ethel Jacobson has returned from a very jolly visit spent with her cousin in Vancouver.

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MILITARY ELEVEN MAKE HEAVY SCORES

Fine Innings of Over a Century Not Out by Watson, Feature of League Match

Heavy scoring featured the postponed senior league cricket match between the Garrison and the Army and Navy, played at Work Point, and won by the former. The big thing of the day was the fine score of 127 not out made by Sergt. Watson for the Garrison. Watson's innings was one of the best ever seen on the Garrison ground. He gave no chances until he had made his century. Atwell batted very freely for his 66 without giving a chance. Cobbett was the most successful bowler. The score:

Garrison 127
Garrison, Watson, not out 127
Garrison, Watson, not out 127
Garrison, Watson, not out 127
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Army and Navy 4
Major Brooke, C. Cobbett 4
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Headfield to Scull
ARNST FOR TITLE

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Reuter's Auckland correspondent cables that D'Arcy Headfield will row for the title of the world's sculling champion on the Wanganni River, probably on the 26th next.

RAIN AT WINNIPEG
HALTS TITLE SERIES

WINNIPEG, Sept. 8.—The second game of the series between Calgary and Winnipeg for the Western Canada League championship was called in the third inning today on account of rain.

SPORTING NEWS

Rickard's Opinion of Wilson Is a Poor One

REFEREE SAYS CHAMP DOESN'T KNOW HOW

Tex Rickard Tells Commission Middleweight Titleholder Is Disgrace to the Game—Wilson Gets Counsel

JERSEY CITY, Sept. 8.—Johnny Wilson, middleweight champion, summoned by the New Jersey Boxing Commission today to face charges that he broke his contract by giving a poor exhibition Labor Day in his bout with Bryan Lawney, Cleveland, heard Tex Rickard, the promoter, testify that he considered the fight a farce. Rickard said he thought Wilson "a disgrace to the game," and that he should be ruled out of the ring for life.

Jim Savage, who refereed the bout, decried the fact that he had known of a precedent in championship encounters he would have "thrown both men out of the ring in the fifth round."

He said he believed both fought honestly, but that neither knew how to fight. The hearing was continued until Tuesday to allow Wilson and his manager to obtain counsel.

Y.W.C.A. INSTRUCTOR FINISHES LONG SWIM

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Completing a 145-mile swim begun at Albany last Friday, Miss Millie Gade, 22 years old, a swimming instructor at the New York Y.W.C.A., arrived at Battery Park this morning. A launch and a rowboat accompanied her down the Hudson, and she slept and ate aboard the launch. She left last Friday and covered, including detours, approximately 153 miles. She was in the water 42 hours 35 minutes.

SPORT IN NANAIMO

NANAIMO, Sept. 8.—Promoter "Jim" Fullerton had fifty boys in his class at the Athletic Club arena Tuesday evening taking instruction in boxing, wrestling, basketball and other forms of athletics, the youngsters evincing a keen interest in the work.

The arena is now open at 6.30, and every day in the city is invited to call around and sign on with the Athletic Club basketball team or participate in some other line of athletics.

Hand Contest

There is an exhibition in Forcimer's window the cup won by the Nanaimo Silver Comet Band at Lady-smith on July 2 last. The cup, which is a magnificent piece of silverware, was donated by the Western Fuel Corporation of Canada for competition among amateur bands of Vancouver. The Silver Comet Band of this city carrying off the honors in open competition at Lady-smith. The cup is most original and appropriate, the base being a brass drum on which is mounted a tenor drum, both made of wood and the handwork of Mr. Joseph Sunpton and Mr. Peter McAlpine.

Football

The Davenport Intermediate football club has been reorganized for the season and has accepted a challenge from the North Wellington soccer club, the game to be played on the cricket grounds on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. The line-up will be as follows: North Wellington—Goal, P. Higgins; backs, R. Zaccarelli, H. Zaccarelli; half-backs, T. Zaccarelli, H. Higgins, C. McDonald, forwards, C. Stancic, H. Frew, A. McDonald, J. Higgins, G. Dunbar, Davenport—Goal, Jackson; backs, Edmunds and White; half-backs, Neave, McLeod, Dawson; forwards, Aikenhead, Perry, Hallett, Smith and Purse.

Manitoba Lacrosse Champions

RAPID CITY, Man., Sept. 8.—The Nationals of Winnipeg today won the Manitoba senior lacrosse championship by defeating with Rapid City, 5 to 6. Nationals won the first game in Winnipeg on Labor Day, 16 to 4.

ESQUIMALT GUN CLUB

Pooley Challenge Cup to Be Shot for September 11—Event Is Open to Any Entrant

The Esquimalt Gun Club will hold a shoot at their traps at Admirals Road on September 11 at 10 a.m., when the Pooley Challenge Cup will be shot for. The conditions of this shoot are 25 singles for each contestant, and it is open to all shooters. Entries can be made on the ground. The present holder of the trophy is Mr. Fred White.

VETERANS OF FRANCE PLAN SPORT EVENTS

Soldier Club Enters Strong Eleven in Local Football League—Holding Boxing Tournament Fair Week

The Veterans of France are becoming quite prominent in the local sporting world, considering the large number of such activities in which they have taken an active part during the past year, and the announcement was made yesterday afternoon that the organization has definitely decided to enter an eleven in the Victoria Football League (first division), and already a large number of their men have volunteered to "go over the top" with them in the soccer race about to be ushered in with the season.

At a meeting of the club's executive last evening, Comrade J. Bloomfield was unanimously chosen as secretary of the new aggregation, and to him all members of the organization are requested to hand in their names, if they have not already done so, should they like to try for a place on the team. It is expected that it will be no simple task to pick out from amongst the large number of experienced soccer players in the association the best eleven men.

The Veterans entered the football league last year for the first time, and they finished in the finale, but were unable to walk off with the premier honors. They gave a splendid account of themselves, however, and a number of last year's players will be back to constitute part of the eleven that will uphold the club's banner this season. They have the makings of a good team, and they say that the opponents will have to look out for them.

Boxing Tournament

But football is not the only sport to engage the attention of the Veterans at this time. They are planning a big boxing tournament, which promises to be one of the greatest events of its kind ever staged in the city. The tournament has been obtained from the authorities to conduct the affair in the New Drill Hall during the coming Fall Fair, which commences on Monday, September 19.

The leading bout at this tournament will be the fight between Tough-house Burns, champion of British Columbia, and Tom Sharkey, veteran of the championship ring, are going to don the mits again, and a great exhibition between the two is being eagerly looked forward to by a large number of local boxing enthusiasts. Billy Sneddon, of Victoria, and Joe Nestman, of Vancouver, are going to face each other in the 135-lb. class for six rounds, the latter having indicated that, should he be successful, he will challenge the winner of the bout.

Another fine draw-uping card should be the mix between Johnny Morgan and Soldier Woods, of Seattle, in a ten-round go.

ARE AUTOMATIC RIFLES UNLAWFUL?

Considerable doubt has been caused among the owners of automatic rifles as to the legality of their use owing to the fact that the poster issued by the Government setting forth the game regulations for the season contains a paragraph in which it is stated "it is unlawful to use any automatic, swivel or machine gun or battery." A rifle obviously being a gun some anxious inquiries were made at the Provincial Police office as to whether it were or not unlawful to hunt with an automatic rifle, a weapon which hitherto has not been barred by law, although an automatic shotgun is. The police gave out that it was unlawful to use such a rifle, giving as their authority the aforementioned statement set out in the aforesaid poster. Further inquiry, however, from the chairman of the Game Board elicited the information that automatic rifles are a perfectly lawful weapon.

The Colonel cannot take any responsibility for a legal opinion on the matter, but it would seem to be up to the Government authorities to make a point, quite plain, in a proposal of the act by an ordinary individual would certainly lead to the opinion that automatic rifles are lawful weapons, and it seems more than possible that the police office was mistaken in informing the inquirer that they are not.

CRICKET LEADERSHIP AT STAKE TOMORROW

Victoria and Five C's Will Meet at Jubilee Hospital Ground in Match to Decide League Championship

Saturday will see the wind-up for the season of senior league cricket in Victoria, when the Five C's and Victoria, at present tied for the league leadership, will meet in a play-off match for the championship of the city and the Virtue Cup. It is expected that the meeting of these two teams will provide a very difficult match, with the result very difficult to predict. On paper it looks as though Victoria would win, as they certainly have what most would pick out as the better all round team of the two. The Five C's no doubt owe their success in reaching the play-off position in the league standing principally to their bowling strength, as in Wilkinson and Lawrence they possess two of the best bowlers on the island. This is not to say that they have no good bats. They undoubtedly have, and the Five C's have always held the reputation of being a very keen hitting team and a strong fighting team. They may quite possibly win today, although, if there were any betting on the event, the chances are that the Victoria eleven would find themselves made the favorites.

The league officials are hoping to see a big attendance at this match, which will be played at the Jubilee Hospital ground, starting at 1:45 p.m. In addition to the fact that a really good match is certain, an additional incentive for all will be the play-off match for the championship of the city and the Virtue Cup. It is expected that the match will be a very keen one, and that the league officials hope by the collection to be taken up on the ground to raise enough to wipe off the present indebtedness of the cricket association. Special arrangements are being made for the providing of a fine picnic for the victors, and the profits from which will be given to the league.

Dr. Hudson and Mr. R. H. Barker have kindly consented to umpire the match. Four and a half hours' cricket will be played and longer, if necessary, to complete the first innings. The Victoria team has been chosen and will be composed of H. A. Goss, captain; J. H. Gillespie, D. L. Adams, P. J. Marshall, L. S. V. York, H. A. Tomalin, J. Meredith, J. H. Maitson and Captain Goss. The Victoria team had not been selected last night.

SOME PHEASANTS ARE HARD TO IDENTIFY

Heads of Several Species Look Very Much Alike—But a Turkey Is Rather Different

Over-zealousness to bring the offenders to book for alleged infractions of the game laws sometimes leads to amusing and at times irritating mistakes. The game wardens are not so plentiful that they can spare time to go out on wild goose chases, but yet it often falls to their lot to be called out to try and run to earth some imaginary criminal. A day or two ago a local game warden received a telephone call and was informed over the wire that some nefarious evildoer was keeping a number of pheasants in captivity contrary to law. The informant was impatient to have the offender arrested, it seems, and a second call came to ask why the matter had not been looked into as promptly as the informant thought it should have been. The game warden proceeded to the place described. He omitted the ceremony of knocking at the front door and proceeded straight to the back yard of the alleged keeper of the hen pheasants.

He saw there two birds, presumably hens. As he was standing looking at the birds the owner appeared. "Good morning," said the guardian of the law. "These, I presume, are the hen pheasants which I was called out here to see?" The lady agreed that they possibly might be the birds referred to by the zealous informer.

RAIN AT WINNIPEG HALTS TITLE SERIES

WINNIPEG, Sept. 8.—The second game of the series between Calgary and Winnipeg for the Western Canada League championship was called in the third inning today on account of rain.

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CAUGHT WOLF FISH

Malcolm Dighton, twelve-year-old boy, spears fine specimen of species at Point Colville.

Malcolm Dighton, of Saanich, a boy of twelve, who went out fishing at Point Colville a few nights ago, succeeded in capturing a very good specimen of the ugly wolf fish which is only occasionally seen in these waters. Young Dighton was fishing in shallow water when he saw the creature, which he eventually succeeded in spearing and landing in his boat after quite an exciting fight. The fish, a very fine example of the Anarhichas Lepturus, and which has been on view in front of the fireplace in the entrance hall of the Union Club, proved to be over five

feet in length, which, in view of the fact that six feet is the maximum length found up to the present, proves it to be a fair-sized specimen of the species. The massive head and mouth, armed with two rows of teeth in the upper jaw and several dog-like fangs in the lower, give the creature a fearsome appearance which corresponds with its reputation for ferocity.

Lady Golf Experts

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—In a keenly contested match played this afternoon over the course of the Beaconsfield Golf Club, Miss Doris Chambers and Miss Edith Leitch, sister of the British woman golf champion, defeated Miss Kate Robertson and Miss Mollie McBride, of the home club, 4 and 3.

P.I. LEAGUE WILL
ENLARGE NEXT YEAR

Expect Better Financial Results With Six or Eight Ball Clubs Included in the Circuit

TACOMA, Sept. 8.—Pacific Inter-national League magnates concluded an informal meeting here yesterday, following which President Louis H. Burnett, of the circuit, announced the books were closed so far as the 1921 season is concerned.

Arrangements were made to meet all official obligations at once, and thus put the league in good shape for the 1922 campaign. Despite the fact that the league's share of the gate receipts proved much smaller than last year, due to having only four clubs in the league, the economical administration of President Burnett enabled the teams to finish in good shape.

Officials were unanimous in agreeing that a four-club league is not large enough to hold the interest of the fans throughout the season, because the fans get tired of looking at the same faces and teams several times a month. The league will not be operated on a four-club basis next year, but six or eight teams will probably be included, and this should make the circuit one of the best "top" organizations in the country.

In addition to the four clubs now in the league, Everett, Bellingham, and possibly Spokane—and Walla Walla would be included, giving the fans a high-class and compact circuit. The salary limit will also be greatly reduced and probably placed at \$2,000 exclusive of the manager. The 1921 salary limit, over the \$3,000 mark, was far too high for the calibre and drawing power of the league.

In announcing attendance figures for the season, it was shown that Tacoma again leads the league in paid admissions. Approximately 60,000 fans passed through the local gates, which gives Tacoma practically the same figures as last year. Yakima drew about 40,000 people, Victoria 30,000, and Vancouver 20,000, the heavier backers making a poor showing.

Bob Brown, of the Vancouver club, will be the league delegate to the annual minor league session to be held in Buffalo in December.

MISS LENGLEN WILL
PLAY IN EXHIBITION

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Miss Suzanne Lenglen, French woman tennis champion, will play in an exhibition match for the benefit of the American committee for devastated France at Hot Springs, N.J., Country Club, Saturday. Her partner in the doubles will be Mrs. David C. Mills, of Orange. The opposing couple will be Miss Leslie Bancroft, of Boston, and Miss M. Hayward, of Short Hills, N.J.

TORONTO GOALKEEPER
CATCHES POSITION IN
OLD COUNTRY SOCCER

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—Halliwell, the Ulster United soccer goalkeeper, of Toronto, who made such a favorable impression on the touring Scottish players, has secured from Jack Connell, who managed the tour, an offer to go to the Old Country to play. Connell enclosed \$500 as Halliwell's expenses to make the trip. No particular club was mentioned. Halliwell has accepted, and leaves from Montreal Saturday.

Halliwell being a soccer player, Halliwell is a clever hockey player, and as a member of the Aura Leo club, of Toronto, played with them in the O. H. A. senior series.

YAKIMA SHORTSTOP
IS NOW WITH CUBS

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—Carter Ward Elliott, shortstop from the Yakima club, joined the Chicago Nationals today. He played the infield with the Sacramento club in 1918 and 1919, and last Summer was a member of the Victoria, B. C., club. This season he was purchased by the Cubs. He is 24 years old.

YARROWS WILL MEET
LADYSMITH TOMORROW

Baseball Title of Vancouver Island at Stake When Two Teams Mix in Double-Header at Stadium

George Beck will trot out his boys in the Yarrows uniforms at the Stadium tomorrow afternoon to face the Ladysmith nine, who are the Island champions and have their eyes on the Provincial Baseball Championship, which will be shortly contested by the winner of the Yarrows-Ladysmith tussles and the best Mainland aggregation. The local lads, however, happen to have similar longings, and believe that their ambitions will be realized.

Two games will be staged tomorrow, the first being at 1:30 o'clock, with the second tussle of the double-header commencing at the termination of the first affair. Large crowds are expected to witness the fray, as great interest has been aroused in local baseball circles, as well as up the island, from where a large number of supporters of the Ladysmith crew have indicated they will make the journey to help their club come out on top. But Yarrows will not be lacking in enthusiasm when "Play Ball" is called.

Yarrows have played great ball during the season about at its end, and if they continue the gall they have been making, they should be able to dispose of their rivals from the coal mining town, and look for higher honors. It is claimed that the hitting crew are a dangerous lot, and the local players will not have anything their own way. George Beck says, "Let 'em come, we're not afraid of them nor any other nine in the province. We're out after the bacon, and intend to bring it home." It is such determination as this that may spell victory for Yarrows tomorrow.

The home boys will appear in much the same positions as they did when they mixed with the Royal Arcanum from the Sound City on Labor Day, and put up such a fine exhibition of ball. Perry Ross is the probable choice for the mound in the opening game, while Manager Beck will work either Yammie McGregor or Eddie Brown in the second engagement. The balance of the team will be something after this style: Bobby Ross, catcher; Jimmy Cummings, 1b; Smiller Pettigrew, 2b; Johnny Cummings, 3b; Hap Gandy, 3b; Cookley, rf; Campbell, cf; Hall, lf.

MOTORBOATS MAKE
RECORDS AT TORONTO

TORONTO, Sept. 8.—Two world's records were made by motorboats at the Canadian National Exhibition yesterday when special races were put on in place of the advertised programme. Fred Miller staged an exhibition race against time with Leidenia III, covering the five-mile course in six minutes 23 seconds, averaging 44.75 miles an hour. This is a new world's record for the class.

For the last event, Nicknack, owned by Commodore Birge, of the Buffalo Launch Club, and Griff Clarke's Leopard, Toronto, ran out a second heat for the five-mile course, the American boat covering the distance in six minutes and 54 seconds, making a new world's record for the distance for this type of craft.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The result of the Southern League Association football game today between Norwich and Plymouth was a draw, one goal each.

The Hamilton Tigers
HAMILTON, Sept. 8.—Coach Marriott has selected the following players to represent the Hamilton Tigers on their Western trip: Manson, McKelvey, Crocker, McFarlane, Elford, Burton, Ireland, Nigg, Gandy, Lloyd Smith, Cox, Komer, Ganser, Ernest Smith, McLean, Evans, Zimmerman, Morris, Dennen and Max Smith. Manson, McKelvey and Gandy are the only members of the squad who made the first trip to the West in 1919. They will leave on September 12.

British Pros Lose
KANSAS CITY, Sept. 8.—Chick Evans, national amateur champion, and Bob McDonald, Metropolitan open champion, defeated George Duncan and Abe Mitchell, British professionals, 2 and 1, in an exhibition golf match today.

Portraits on future United States currency will be distinctive for each denomination.

SOCCER CLUBS ARE
BUSY ORGANIZING

Metropolis and Sons of England Held Annual Meetings Last Night and Elected Officials

The football clubs are getting busy. Two club meetings were held last night in preparation for the opening of the season. At a well-attended meeting held at the Metropolis Billiard Parlors, the Metropolis Club elected officers for the ensuing year, when the following were chosen to form the club's executive: Hon. president, A. Curtis and Wm. Latham; president, R. Christopher; secretary, Dave Macfarlane; manager, Wm. Livingstone; trainer, Wm. Hook; selection committee, Hugh Pettigrew, Ed. Christopher and Wm. Livingstone.

Practically all last year's champions have signified their willingness to wear the Metropolis sweaters, and a strong team is assured to defend the cup. Regular practices will be held shortly to put the boys in shape.

Sons of England

The Sons of England also held their organization meeting, and elected officers as follows: Hon. president, I. Chadwick; president, J. W. Wallace; vice-presidents, I. B. Dixon, A. R. Brindley and J. Hall; managers, R. Shanks and C. Gwyer; secretary-treasurer, A. D. Briggs; assistant secretary, L. Gray; delegate to football association, I. B. Dixon.

The Sons expect to be strong contenders in the senior league this year, and will have an even better team than last year if anticipations are realized. Most of their old players will be available, and they expect several good newcomers to join their ranks. Mr. J. W. Wallace, their new president, will be recognized as the former president of the first football association ever formed in British Columbia some years ago now. Mr. Wallace was also president of the Vancouver Celtics. This will be his first year as a football official in Victoria, but his experience and well-known interest in the game will no doubt prove a valuable asset to the club with which he has thrown in his lot this year.

The Sons are holding a practice game at Beacon Hill on Saturday at 3 p.m., when any players who wish to join in the practice will be made welcome.

TENNIS STARS GATHER
FOR BIG TOURNAMENT

Champions and Near-Champions Show Their Wares at Philadelphia; Contest Starts Today

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8.—Tennis enthusiasts saw the whole repertoire of many shots used in big tournament play today when the stars who will compete in the national singles meeting tomorrow practised at the Germantown Cricket Club.

William T. Tilden II, world's champion, drew the gallery. He toyed with Charles Watson, of Philadelphia, for three sets and then worked out a set with Marshall Allen, of Seattle.

J. O. Anderson and Clarence V. Todd, the Australian experts, also attracted much attention. They played three sets of vigorous tennis. William J. Clothier, former national champion, appeared on an adjacent court with another veteran, Craig Biddle, of Philadelphia.

Because of the withdrawal of Ichika Kumagai, whose physician ordered him to New Hampshire because of a severe attack of hay fever, two matches will be played on the championship courts at 4 p.m. tomorrow when Kumagai was to have met Howard Voshell, New York veteran.

William M. Johnston, of California, runner up to the national last year, and twice titleholder, will meet Hugh Jeff, of New York, on one of the three centre courts, and E. Gordon Lowe, a veteran British Davis Cup star, will oppose J. L. Werner, of Princeton University, playing from St. Louis, on another court.

JOHNNY WILSON GETS
ANOTHER BIG OFFER
FOR 20-ROUND GO

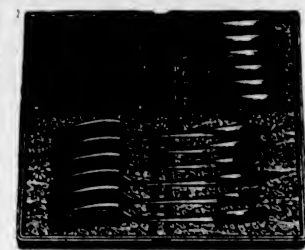
NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 8.—Johnny Wilson, middleweight champion, today was offered \$20,000 or an optional fifty per cent of the gross receipts, to meet Happy Littleton, southern middleweight, in a twenty-round bout at the ball park here on October 18. The offer was made by Promoter Al Pilsbury, who is to stage the 20-round bout between Littleton and Mike Gibbons, who are to meet in New Orleans, October 21.

YORKSHIRE XI. ARE
CRICKET CHAMPIONS

TORONTO, Sept. 8.—Defeating the Albion Cricket Club today by 9 wickets, Yorkshire Cricket Club won the Dominion cricket championship. The Albions who qualified for the final by defeating the Westmount Club, of Montreal, at the beginning of the week, scored 55 and 94 in their seasons at bat, while Yorkshire made 117 in the first innings. With 72 runs necessary to win, Yorkshire played vigorously and hit them off with the loss of only one wicket.

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LETHBRIDGE, Sept. 8.—Captain F. L. Janney, on the 33rd day of his hunger strike, has been ordered by jail physician Wray to be removed to the Galt hospital, where forcible feeding will be undertaken in an effort to keep him alive.

The beginning of the second month of the hunger strike finds Janney's heart in a weakened condition, and grave fears as to the outcome are entertained by jail authorities.

CHICAGO DETECTIVES
ARE UNDER SUSPICION

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—Investigation was begun today by the state's attorney's office into charges that the local detective bureau maintains a spying or "stool pigeon" system by which innocent persons and others are led into traps to aid bureau men in showing a high efficiency record.

The state's attorney has been told that plotters, known as "stool

pigeons," are on the city payroll and that as a result of their efforts as many as fifteen persons are in jail or the penitentiary while the detectives fattened their average.

DITCH PROBLEMS

Saanich Council Gets Petition for Improving Sluggish Ditch Under Watercourses Act

The problem of cleaning out ditches and watercourses again came before the Saanich Council last night.

A petition under the Ditches and Watercourses Act was received by the Council, asking for the improving of the Sluggish Ditch. The petition was tabled to allow Clerk Cowper to report on the procedure under the Act.

Replies were received from owners of property on the Colquitz Creek and the Cloverdale Ditch, who were asked if they would assist in paying for the improving of those waterways. There were twenty-nine owners notified in connection with the Cloverdale Ditch, but only four replies were received. Replies from owners along both waterways were laid on the table in order to give time for others to send in their answers.

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RADIO CONTROL OVER SHIPS FROM AIR NEXT

Experiments With Obsolete War Vessels Expected to Lead to Changes in Naval Development

The efficient performance of the battleship Iowa under radio control during recent aerial bombing tests off the Virginia Capes may lead to revolutionary changes in naval development, officers believe. Without a soul on board the Iowa was maneuvered from the battleship Ohio, five miles away, with the utmost precision, and there was not a hitch in the mechanism in more than two hours while the Iowa was being bombed.

It was a scientific triumph. The Iowa was a real "flying Dutchman," that mythical creature of the sea, as she obeyed the will of Capt. F. F. Chadwick, who, almost half a century ago, was the first to use the radio in naval development. The invisible, magic fingers of the radio reached out across the sea to whirl the Iowa's steering wheel, operate the fuel oil and water supply valves and start and stop the ship.

So perfectly did the control function that the officer on the Ohio maneuvered the Iowa away from the attacking air forces at the moment the bombs were being released, varying the speed of the target vessel at will.

Army and navy officers who witnessed the test were much impressed by the possibilities of development of the radio control idea for use in future wars. It was said to be apparent that radio control might eliminate some loss of life in such enterprises as "block ship" operations as when the British undertook at Zeebrugge and Ostend to block up German submarines. The "block ship" of the future, it was pointed out, might sail serenely into an enemy harbor without a soul on board and be sunk to obstruct the channel by the electrical explosion of her magazines.

Already the U.S. Navy is working out plans for shifting control at will from a surface vessel like the Ohio to an aircraft, either heavier or lighter than air. The radio control device on the Ohio is so simple, officers say, that little difficulty will be experienced in adapting it for use in an airplane or dirigible. When this development is worked out the controlling aircraft will be able to work at an altitude of 10,000 feet and above, safe from any gunfire from below, and steer the controlled vessel anywhere on the sea within five miles.

Further Plans

A movement is afoot at Washington to install radio control on at least one more obsolete battleship and two old destroyers, to serve as targets for aerial bombing practice, and further experiments with radio control. Extension of experiments to the possibility of applying the radio control idea to aircraft also is under consideration, and it is within probabilities that giant, crewless bombing planes, loaded with high explosive, could be launched against naval vessels, cities and other targets, without a crew of trained officers and men.

The entire radio control idea, a post-war development, in its present application is in the hands of naval officers, and they expect great improvements in the efficiency and scope of the control within the next few years.

NO FOOD BUT SEAWEED DURING SIXTEEN DAYS

The terrible experience of the sole survivor of a Chinese junk, caught by one of the typhoons that have been sweeping the China coast this summer, are told in the South China Morning Post. The man was picked up in an open skiff seventy miles from Hongkong, and taken to that port by the steamer Phraang.

The man, who is in a very emaciated condition, told a remarkable tale to tell. He was helmsman of a large trading junk which was on its way to Hochoo from Sarawak with a crew of seventeen, thirteen passengers and a cargo of rice. One day, the junk was suddenly caught in a typhoon and sunk.

The helmsman managed to launch a small native skiff into which he and a companion jumped. How the frail craft lived in the raging sea it is impossible to believe. Fortunately an old buccan came in useful in halting the water from the boat, which was in great danger of being swamped every minute. The men were in a sorry plight without provisions of any kind. With no oars or sails

they could do nothing but allow the skiff to drift in the faint hope of being eventually picked up by some passing steamer. Driven to desperation after days of hunger, they took to eating seaweed gathered from the sea, and to drinking rain water scooped from the bottom of the boat with the bucket. Days slowly passed but no ship came in sight. After 13 days the helmsman's companion died from exhaustion and his body was cast into the sea. Three days later the Phraang came along and the man's hopes revived. The steamer, some distance off, passed the small craft and the man, fearing he had been left to a terrible fate, threw himself into the bottom of the boat and covered his head in a piece of cloth.

Shortly afterwards the watch on the steamer sighted the craft and orders were given by Capt. R. K. H. H. to return to the steamer. The man, however, in the heavy swell the ship was brought alongside the boat, and after a good deal of anxiety they managed to get the man aboard.

EXPRESS COMPANIES ARE CONSOLIDATED

Operations of Canadian Express and Canadian National Are Under One Management—Public to Benefit

A further step in the co-ordination of the services of the Canadian National and Grand Trunk Railways under Government auspices has been taken. Since September 1st the operations of the Canadian Express Co. and the Canadian National Express Co. have been consolidated, and the combined company is now being carried on under the name of the Canadian National Express Co. Mr. John Pullen, former president of the Canadian Express Co., is vice-president and general manager of the new company.

News of the consolidation will be received with interest by the commercial community. The Canadian National Express Co. in its new form will operate a number of lines of road extending from Halifax to Prince Rupert and Vancouver, and will have in addition an extensive railway system in the west, including a combined annual gross revenue in excess of \$12,000,000 and did business with the public through nearly 3,500 established agencies. That the consolidation will mean increased facilities for the public in the conveyance of goods by express is the view of the management.

More Cars Available

"The advantage to the public of this united express service will be found in the larger supply of the combined railways," said Mr. John Pullen, who has been named as president of the Canadian National Express Company. "The cars of various types, such as express, refrigerator cars, horse stable cars and steam heated cars for winter service, can be more readily obtained, as they can be used interchangeably throughout the national system of railways. Furthermore, the vehicle service in the cities and larger towns, being consolidated, will be able to respond more readily to calls from the public. There is also being worked out a consolidation of local offices in the various cities, thus making it possible to add to the public convenience and avoid duplication."

More Fish Cars

The new company will continue to give special attention to the development of the heavy fish traffic from the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts and the inland lakes, as well as the heavy traffic of Ontario and British Columbia, and to the movement of certain farm products, articles of value, etc., for which the express service is particularly adapted. There will also be carried on, as in the past, special financial operations as the issuance of express money orders, transfers, etc. Every officer and employee of the extensive system of national railways can be depended upon to operate the new company with the same efficiency and expedition as in the past.

Pullen Is President

Mr. John Pullen, who has been appointed president of the Canadian National Express Company, has had wide experience as a railway and express officer. He began his career in the transportation field as an office boy with the Grand Trunk Railway system at Sherbrooke in 1871. He became secretary to the traffic manager of the Chicago and Grand Trunk Railway at Chicago in 1881, agent of the first Great West Express Line operated by the Grand Trunk system in 1883, division freight agent of the Grand Trunk at Stratford, Ontario, in 1884, and division freight agent at Hamilton in the following year. After experience as general freight agent of the Central Vermont Railway he was appointed agent of the Grand Trunk at Montreal in 1900, and was promoted to assistant freight traffic manager in 1905. Recently Mr. Pullen was appointed president of the Canadian Express Company in 1911, a position which he held until

1916, when he was named to succeed Mr. J. H. McLean as president of the Canadian National Express Company. He has been in charge of the company since that time.

ROYAL MAIL STEAMER ASHORE NEAR LISBON

LISBON, Sept. 8.—The British Royal Mail steamer Almazora, having on board 1,200 passengers and cargo, was wrecked near Lisbon, in ground off Cape Espichel, 20 miles south of here.

The Almazora sailed from Buenos Ayres on August 19 for Southampton, calling at Rio Janeiro, from which port she sailed on August 24. The vessel was registered as 9,442 tons. She was launched in Belfast in 1914.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The passengers and cargo of the British Royal Mail steamer Almazora, which is ashore off the Portuguese coast, will be landed today in Lisbon, according to a telegram to the owners of the vessel from the commander. Ten tugs are standing by the steamer, which is ashore on a sandy bottom, the commander said. A light northerly wind was blowing at 1 o'clock this morning when the captain's message was filed in Lisbon.

Green Star Line Troubles

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Declaring the Green Star Steamship Corporation is in danger of being thrown into receivership, two thousand of its bondholders have signed a petition to the United States Shipping Board appealing for a revision of the contract under which the line purchased nine vessels, it was learned today. The petition asserts that the Green Star, through "an error in judgment," contracted to buy the Shipping Board vessels at more than double their present market value. Its resources are declared to have been so depleted by the falling off in ocean commerce that it is unable to meet payments due on the vessels.

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PEOPLE OF MOLTENO SUFFER HARDSHIPS

ROME, Sept. 8.—The mountain village of Molteno, near Trent, in the Italian Tyrol, has been destroyed by fire, seven hundred persons being made homeless.
The flames were carried along by a cold wind, which added to the discomfort of the women and children, who already had suffered much from exposure.

Tents and other relief materials have been sent to the scene by the government.

Murphy Reward Increased
LONDON, Ont., Sept. 8.—Word has been received that the Attorney-General's department has increased the reward for the capture of the Murphy brothers to \$3,000. This makes \$5,000 reward now offered for the capture of the two bandits who broke jail while awaiting trial on charges of murder and attempted bank robbery.

What's at the Playhouses?

CAPITOL In "The Conquest of Canaan," Paramount's picturization of Booth Tarkington's celebrated novel of that name, which will be shown at the Capitol Theatre today, Thomas Meighan, the star, has an opportunity for some of the best work of his motion picture career. As "Jug Louder," Mr. Meighan plays the part of the ostracized youth—a member of the so-called "other half" in Canaan, a typical Middle Western town with its Provincial likes and dislikes and its "society." He loves Ariel Tabor, who also belongs to the same strata of unrespectables, but life for them is a burden. Ariel's uncle dies and she goes to Paris and Jug goes away to study law. He returns to conquer "Canaan," and his problem gives Mr. Meighan a splendid opportunity to display his talents. Doris Kenyon is leading woman in the picture.

VARIETY There are many excellent scenes in "Every Woman Knows," which will thrill spectators and some of them should be advertised by exhibitors. Some of the more prominent punch scenes include: The capture of John Shand, a supposed burglar who proves to be a student, whose only offence is his theft, of knowledge derived from the books; the signing of a contract by the young student to marry Maggie Wylie in five years if she desires him for a husband; the election of Shand to Parliament; the capture of Maggie; his meeting with a vamp and desertion of his painstaking wife; his reparation to the path of rectitude when he discovers that his wife is everything to him and his career; Maggie's declaration that every woman knows that every man who is high up loved to think he has done it all himself.

ROYAL Every traveler to the VICTORIA South-west soon hears of the "Santa Ana," the sandstorm more terrifying than cyclone or tornado. The sandstorm in "Desert Gold" is known to the millions who have read Zane Grey's famous novel. Cameron and Burton, prospectors, lose their lives in the photograph of "Desert Gold," produced by Benjamin B. Hampton and Elmer F. Warner for the author's own company, and distributed by W. W. Hutchinson through Pathe Exchange, the tragic fate of Cameron and Burton is realistically shown. Not only is the "Santa Ana" of "Desert Gold" a screen novelty, but it is absolutely faithful. Several of the scenes of the sandstorm were taken in the Colorado desert, about twenty-five miles from Mecca, and the closing scenes—the final death scenes—were taken in the bed of the Santa Ana River, near

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Wallace Reid
In
**"THE HELL
DIGGERS"**
MRS. JESSE LONGFIELD
Singing "Happy Song" and "Since We Parted"
British-Canadian News, Pathe Review, Sunshine Comedy

R-O-Y-A-L THEATRE

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From Zane Grey's great story of Western life and a dashing romance of the desert outdoors
**COMEDY
"THE GAME LADY"**
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Miss Bella McEwan
Dramatic Soprano
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**"What Every
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"THE SON OF TARZAN"
Illustrated Song—"Why Dost Thou Grieve"
EDUCATIONAL FILM
From Victoria to Campbell River
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"DEEP WATERS"
Featuring
Barbara Bedford
In "The Kiss of the Gods"
Two-Act Comedy
"The Skipper's Treasure Garden"
Prices: 15c and 25c Children, 10c

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The Screen
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Variety—"What Every Woman Knows."
Columbia—"Deep Waters."
Royal—"Desert Gold."
Capitol—"The Conquest of Canaan."

Whitewater Junction. No man knows when the Santa Ana will come. Consequently, when Mrs. Gray took the company of players into the desert, they took with them two heavy trucks, on which were mounted airplane engines and propellers. These "wind machines" were designed to create a sandstorm. Before the company had been on location two days, a genuine Santa Ana tore into the desert and mocked at their wind machines. Director T. Hayes Hunter took some fine scenes, something, he claims, never before equalled in the history of motion pictures. And the beauty of it is, the audience at the Royal Victoria Theatre can sit amid all the comforts of home and still live through a desert terror. With a good comedy, entitled "The Game Lady" and a "Chester Outing," the picture part of the programme is well taken care of. Miss Della McEwan has arranged something new, and is giving a Scotch song week, singing in costume "Bonnie Bessie" and "Oh, Sing to Me the Auld Scotch Songs."

DOMINION Wallace Reid has driven THEATRE almost every kind of vehicle in his Paramount screen offerings. In his recent picture, "The Love Special," he added a locomotive to the list and in the automobile race picture immediately following, he drove a fast roadster around the track at a speed of 110 miles an hour. In "The Hell Diggers," his latest picture, written by Byron Morgan, which will be shown at this week at the Dominion Theatre, the star operates one of the most unusual machines in the world—the giant dredger which is used to pan the gold from the bottom of the sea in Northern California. On this occasion, however, he was unable to make more than half a mile a day. This lack of pep in the speed of the big machine, however, is more than compensated for by a thrilling fight when the dredger is converted into a floating fortress and which it is up to the faction headed by Mr. Reid to storm and capture, and by many other unusual scenes and situations.

COLUMBIA Thrilling episodes, both above and below the Atlantic, feature "Deep Waters," Maurice Tourneur's picture production, which is to be shown at the Columbia Theatre again today. The story was adapted from a novel by F. Hopkinson Smith. One of the exciting episodes is where a steamer founders on the rocks. The first body which he recovers is that of the young man with whom West's young wife has run away. Barbara Bedford, Jack Gilbert and Brocken Christians play the leading roles in "Deep Waters," and the picture is a Paramount.

PRINCESS "Peg o' My Heart," now THEATRE being presented by the Mildred Page Players, is one of the biggest successes yet produced by this popular company. The part of Peg gives Miss Page an opportunity for some splendid work and she does it full justice. Mr. Alden is also doing a splendid bit of work as the "English Johnny" and has a splendid make up. Miss Ewan is wearing some charming gowns and is thoroughly at home in her part. James Coots, Arthur Elton and Miss Little are also doing fine work and Miss Little looks charming. The Wednesday night contest for grown ups was won by Mrs. Banner, the contents of the chest being one pound of tea, and the prize amounted to \$10. The next play will be "The Girl of the Golden West," beginning Wednesday, September 14.

**GLORIA SWANSON
AND MILTON SILLS AT
DOMINION MONDAY**

Gloria Swanson and Milton Sills play together for the first time in Miss Swanson's first Paramount starring vehicle "The Great Moment," which was written for her by Miss Elmer Glyn. Mr. Sills plays the leading male support, enacting the role of Bayard Delval, a young mining engineer. The picture will be shown at the Dominion Theatre next week. Although each of these screen players is well known to the public for brilliant past achievements, this is the first picture in which they have been associated. They have been playing at the same studio for several months. Mr. Sills will be remembered for his work in George Melford's "Behold My Wife!" and "The Fair Healer," and Miss Swanson for her leading roles in several of the latest Cecil B. DeMille productions, including "Male and Female," "Why Change Your Wife?" and "Something to Think About."

BUENOS AIRES BOASTS ITSELF CLEAN CITY

Sunrise every morning finds Buenos Aires, in the downtown section in particular, fresh washed, clean as a Dutch housewife's doorstep and smelling like a hospital. This is the result of the thorough washing given all the streets every night and the liberal doses of disinfectant that are spread about in order to check communicable diseases.
About midnight every night gangs of white-clad men, armed with brooms and hoses, appear and undertake to rout out any chance germs that may be lurking in gutters and dark corners. But this is the only part of the city's constant war against dirt that is carried on educational campaigns, using posters principally in order to warn the people of the means by which disease is spread.
Gold was known to exist in California as far back as 1577, almost three centuries before the actual discovery.

WAR IS WAGED ON LEGENDARY FIELD

Greeks are Fighting Turks in
Country Which Has Known
Marauding Hosts of Many
Conquerors

The Asia Minor campaign of the Greeks to break the power of the Turks, the decisive battle of which may take place near the City of Angora, is staged on fields among the richest in the world with battle memories. Midas, Alexander the Great, Zenobia of Palmyra, the Romans of Augustus and Caracalla, the Persians of Cyrus the Great, Harun-al-Raschid and a host of others passed here with their armies, robbing and plundering, sometimes stopping to build fortresses and castles, making the place a stronghold and transportation centre midway between Persia and the sea.
The fortune of war may have it that General Ismet Pasha will deliver battle on the plains where Tamerlane, with his Mongol hordes, in 1394 defeated Bayezid, the latter marching from Constantinople to stop the Mongols.

The advance of the Greeks in through a thinly-settled country of treeless rolling ranges of limestone mountains, two to four thousand feet in height, rising dry and hot out of well-nigh waterless, malarial, valleys. At dawn and sunset the face of the country is mantled with a velvety screen of rose coloring which the traveler learns to love and almost repays for the stifling heat and dust of broad day, hardly untempered by the scorching winds that blow steadily across the limitless, bare distances.

"Ours is rather an unhappy country in summer," explained a Turkish army doctor at one of the halts along the railway to Angora, where the soldiers were poisoning and filling in the well after taking a last supply of water. "I spend my days and nights feeding guinea pigs." He added, "Here only Turks, sheep and shepherd dogs can live."

Nearer Angora, or in districts distant from the valleys through which pass the railways, however, are sometimes discovered villages and towns seeming like little paradises by contrast. They are planted in valleys beside streams or springs of living water which keep her at sea some days longer. The officers and crew of the vessel are understood to be all aboard her.

Once in a long while the valley is made fertile by abundance of water, as at Teshiklik, and then are seen silvery olive trees growing in the heat-drenched grassy prospect, horn larks with cardinal red tops twittering by the roadside, green and brown jays, birds, darting maples with handsome black and white bodies, pink sweet Williams peeping from the bushes and, if the season be not too far advanced, ripe melon patches and orchards of white and red cherries.

SHIPPING NOTES

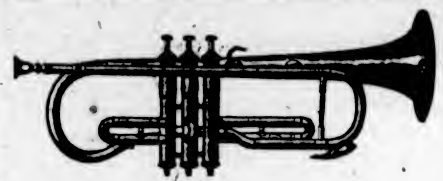
The Onaka Shoen Kaisha steamer Arizona Maru clears from here this afternoon at five o'clock for the Orient. Some stowage passengers are joining the vessel at this port.

The Pacific Steamship Company's steamer President reached port here from San Francisco yesterday at 1:30 p.m., clearing again for Seattle at 2:30. She experienced a fine passage up the coast.

The quarantine tender Madge is here from William Head, and will be in port until Saturday undergoing boiler inspection.
The steamer City of Vancouver reached Esquimalt yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, and will be drydocked this morning for cleaning and painting by Yarrow. The work will be finished by tonight, and the vessel will then clear for Tacoma to load for the United Kingdom.

DR. SUN YAT SEN GIVES COMMAND TO POWERS

CANTON, China, Sept. 8.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen, head of the Canton Government, in a manifesto to the powers, declares no settlement of the Far Eastern problem is possible unless China is liberated from foreign aggression, the twenty-one demands of Japan, and the secret treaties, loans and concessions which President Hsu Shih-Chang, of the Peking Government, has concluded with Japan.
Dr. Sun says that unless a Canton delegation participates in the discussions concerning the Far East, none relating to China will be recognized.



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WINNER DUE TODAY; IMPORTER NEXT WEEK

The steamer Canadian Winner will probably reach William Head quarantine station late today or tonight, but it is improbable that she will then come in to this port. She is proceeding as fast as she can to Vancouver to discharge her cargo and load for her next voyage. Her experiences in quest of the Canadian Importer have delayed her an even two weeks in finishing her voyage from Australia.

The importer is still heading for this port in tow of the tug Sea Lion and Sea Monarch. Tuesday is about the earliest at which she could be expected to reach here, and heavy weather might keep her at sea some days longer. The officers and crew of the vessel are understood to be all aboard her.

SHIP WILL BE NAMED CANADIAN BRITISHER

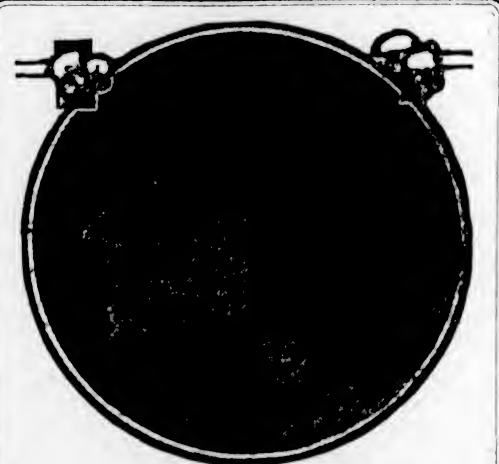
PRINCE RUFERT, Sept. 8.—"Canadian Britisher" will be the name of the second steamship now being built at the Wallace Shipyards here. The

"Canadian Scottish" was the name of the first one.

The locally-built ships have had numerous designations during their short life. They were first called the Canadian Reaper and the Canadian Thresher, but through the influence of Col. Cy. Peck, M.P. for Etobicoke, one vessel was given the name Canadian Scottish, in honor of the battalion commanded by the Colonel in France during the war. This aroused a little hard feeling in the town, to counteract which it was decided to call the second steamer the Canadian English. This has now become the Canadian Britisher.

Lucky Jim Mine

It is likely that the Lucky Jim Mine Company will be reorganized and early steps taken to open up the property. The new company proposes to start development by continuing the 400-foot level beyond the worked-out section and well into the hill. A raise at the point in mind will give 1,000 feet depth, and will prove or otherwise the continuance at depth of ore bodies which outcrop. If these ore bodies are similar to those worked the values will be predominantly zinc at depth with higher values in lead and silver towards the surface.



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A fortunate move in merchandising has placed in our hands this very special purchase of Women's Fashionable Fall Coats that we are enabled to sell at the very low prices quoted above. The coats are all designed in the favorite Fall styles, and made of excellent grade Velours, Tweeds, Silvertones and Home-spuns. Every coat is finished in a high-class manner, trimmed and tailored superbly.

You who demand quality as well as fashion will find the two combined in every individual coat in this assortment now offered at amazingly low prices.

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On sale today and tomorrow at \$14.75, \$19.75, \$22.50 and **\$24.75**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor—Phone 1010

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Excellent Grade Tweeds at

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Parents will be greatly pleased with the exceptional values we offer in Boys' Suits this Fall, as they will be able to dress their boys neatly and well at a low cost.

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Regular \$12.00 values at **\$7.50**

Stylish Suits of Wool Tweeds, shown in greys, browns, greens and heather mixtures. Suits that will give great satisfaction in wearing quality.

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All-Wool Tweed Suits, perfectly tailored and finished in up-to-date models. Suits in all the favorite shades. Regular \$18.00 and \$20.00.

Now selling at **\$12.50**

You will be surprised at the values. Bring your boy and have us fit him with a suit at a price that means a great saving to you.



—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor—Phone 2620

Women's Kimonos and Dressing Jackets at \$2.50, \$2.90, \$3.75

Cotton Crepe Kimonos of excellent quality, high waist effects, three-quarter sleeves, V-neck and finished in front with fancy stitching and embroidery; in colors of mauve, blue and pink. Price **\$3.75**
Fine Quality Flowered Voile Dressing Jackets, short sleeves and shirred at waist for **\$2.50**
Cotton Crepe Dressing Jackets, frill round neck and sleeves, and shirred at waist; in colors of mauve, blue and rose. Special at **\$2.90**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor—Phone 1194

The Best Boots for Girls All at Lowest Possible Prices

Girls' Box Calf Lace Boots, a high cut solid leather boot, designed for service, and a boot of neat appearance; sizes 11 to 2. Priced at only **\$3.65**
Girls' Fine Brown Calf Lace Boots, high cut, and with narrow or broad toes; sizes 11 to 2 at **\$5.00**
Girls' "Classic" Gunmetal Lace Boots, on new, broad toe last; sizes 11 to 2 at **\$4.75**
Girls' Patent Leather Slippers, with strap over instep; sizes 11 to 2 at **\$2.98**
Girls' Patent Leather Slippers, with strap over instep; sizes 8 to 10 1/2 at **\$2.45**
Growing Girls' Gunmetal Calf Boots, with double sole and medium or low heels; sizes 2 1/2 to 7 at \$5.50 and **\$6.50**
Growing Girls' Brown Calf Boots, with double soles; medium and low heel; sizes 2 1/2 to 7 at \$6.00 and **\$7.00**

—Girls' Boots, 1st Floor—Phone 6195

Women's "Velva" Brand Underwear, All Sizes

We have now an ample stock of "Velva" Underwear for your selection; a quality suitable for Fall wear. Vests of excellent knit cotton, with short or long sleeves; some with shoulder straps, slip-over styles and button fronts. Your choice at **75c**
"Velva" Drawers in open or closed styles, and bloomers with elastic at waist and knee; sizes 36 to 40. **75c**
Out sizes **95c**
"Velva" Combinations of excellent grade knit cotton, designed with low neck and short sleeves, high neck and long sleeves and button fronts; all sizes 36 to 40 at **\$1.65**
Out sizes **\$1.75**

—Knit Underwear, 1st Floor—Phone 6195

Boys' Bloomers and Straight Knee Pants On Sale Today

Boys' Tweed Bloomers, in dark corduroy, well assorted, and worsteds. All sizes at, a pair **\$2.50**
Boys' Straight Knee Pants, in strong weight tweeds and blue serge; sizes 22 to 28. Price, a pair **\$1.50**

—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor—Phone 2620



Remarkable Opportunity for You in This Special Purchase of Women's Silk Sweaters

Having made a special purchase of Women's Silk Sweaters we are placing them on sale today and tomorrow at prices so very reasonable that you will see at a glance the wonderful values they represent.

Silk Sweaters, in plain or fancy weave, designed with tuxedo collar and sash girdle, and shown in shades of navy, black, brown, taupe, jade, orchid and turquoise. They are attractively neat, of excellent grade, and special value at **\$8.75**

Handsome Silk Sweaters, in novelty weave, designed with tuxedo collar, pockets and sash girdle, and shown in shades of black, navy, white, tomato, honeydew, silver, sand and jade. Beautiful sweaters, and big value at **\$12.50**

Heavy Silk Sweaters, in fancy basket weave, made with tuxedo collar and girdle; sweaters of exceedingly good quality; very handsome productions in shades of navy, black and sand only, and on sale at **\$18.75**

Pure Silk Scarves, 70 x 14 inches, with fringed ends; shown in shades of navy, black, henna, turquoise, sand, silver, jade, tomato and honeydew. Special at **\$4.75**

—Sweater Dept., 1st Floor—Phone 6195

Values of Unusual Interest in High-Grade Silks

40-inch French Silk Georgette, in a heavy weight and smooth, even weave; shown in shades of mauve, sky, silver, bisque, henna, medium grey, Copenhagen, shrimp, white and pastel blue. On sale at **\$1.59**
36-inch Satin Duchesse and Paillette, in a lustrous finish and of a grade that will prove most serviceable for dresses or waists. We show them in shades of turquoise, medium grey, purple, sky, taupe, mauve, navy, nigger, burnt orange, shrimp and Copenhagen. On sale at **\$1.98**

18-inch Silk Velvets, an excellent grade for millinery purposes, in shades of grey, moss, paddy, purple, sky, Copenhagen, Burgundy and myrtle. On sale at **\$1.50**

36-inch Silk Poplin, a strong, durable fabric you will find will launder easy; ideal material for dresses, separate skirts; shown in shades of old rose, reseda, navy, black, white, nigger, silver grey, medium grey, Copenhagen, saxe, myrtle and brown, at a yard **\$1.50**

—Silks, Main Floor—Phone 2181

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Boys' Tweed and Worsted Caps, in neat styles and latest new Fall shapes. Special, at each **\$1.00**
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Boys' Goodyear Boots, of stout weight box calf, with double soles and recede or broad toe; sizes 1 to 5 1/2. Excellent value at **\$5.50**

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Sizes 1 to 5 1/2 **\$4.75**

Leckie's Box Calf Boots; sizes 11 to 13 1/2 at **\$4.25**

Sizes 1 to 5 1/2 at **\$5.00**

—Boys' Boot Dept., Main Floor

Groceteria Daily Bulletin

Lifebuoy Soap 8 1/2c	Wallace's Fresh Herring, 1 lb. tins, for 9c
Fairy Soap, for 8 1/2c	Morton's Old Country Orange Marmalade, per jar 34c
Toothpicks, per package 4c	Karo Corn Syrup, per tin 14c
Epps' Cocoa, per tin 28c	Del Monte Catsup, large bottles, for 35c
Malin's Best Tea, per lb. 52c	Non-Such Stove Polish, bot. 22c
Premier Dietetic Flour, pkg. 15c	Small's Maple Syrup, 1 lb. tins, for 70c
Holbrook's Rice Flour, pkg. 20c	White Spring Salmon, tin 5c
Blue Grass Cider Vinegar—16 oz. bottles 23c	Choice Pink Salmon, tin 8c
22 oz. bottles 33c	Jacobs' Old Country Biscuits, per package 29c
C & B Lucca Oil—Small bottles 35c	
Medium bottles 65c	
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Fullets' Eggs at, dozen 40c	Unsmoked Side Bacon, in the piece, at, per lb. 30c
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"Springfield" Brand Butter in 1 lb. prints at, lb. 42c	Ashland Cooked Ham, lb. 35c
Beef Dripping at, lb. 10c	Baked Veal Loaf at, lb. 35c
Pure Lard at 20c lb.; or 3 lbs. for 55c	Jellied Veal at, lb. 60c
Smoked Picnic Hams at, lb. 24c	Local Made Headcheese, lb. 20c
Unsmoked Picnic Hams, lb. 22c	Ham Bologna at, lb. 25c
Smoked Cottage Hams, lb. 30c	Small Bologna at, lb. 22c
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